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COMING ATTRACTIONS

Daly's Theatre

Wednesday—Illustrated Lecture, by Dr. Reep on the Great European War. Admission 25c.

Friday—Honey Dike, in an original drama of "The Under World." This is a wonderful, famous Players film. Admission 10c.

Saturday—The Million Dollar Mystery and other good pictures.

Sunday Night—The Elks' Big Four Orchestra. The Elks' Big Four Orchestra and a first class picture program. Admission 5c and 10c.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hayes, who had been east on their wedding tour, spent several days in the city the past week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hayes. From here they went to Wausau, where they will make their home.

Had His Neck Cut.

George Smith, the painter, had his neck quite badly cut on Tuesday evening while returning to his home from town. He had the wounds dressed by a physician and made the statement that he had fallen in with some Russians who had used a knife on him. He appeared before Judge Pominville on Wednesday morning to swear out a warrant for the guilty party, and it is probable that the matter will be threshed out in court.

Fined For Speeding.

Lawrence Sharkey was arrested on Tuesday charged with driving his automobile across the bridge at a reckless rate of speed. He was taken before Judge Pominville, who remitted the fine in the case on account of it being his first offense. Mr. Sharkey paying the costs amounting to \$3.40.

Confirmation Services.

Confirmation services will be held at St. Peter and Paul Catholic church on Sunday next. Bishop Schwabach of La Crosse will be here at that time.

The ladies of the Catholic church will hold their bazaar at the Amusement Hall on Nov. 5th.

RUDOLPH

Ang. Jacoby has sold his farm to Wm. Conner's brother, of Little Chute. Mr. Jacoby will move his family into part of Julius Krebsbach house.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hams who lived up stairs at Julius Krebsbach's have moved to Sigel where Will will run the Sigel Creamery.

Fred Bossert's men are up here making cement sidewalks both sides of the road, just east of the track in front of Dr. Jackson's. Kujawa's old story, Windolf Scott's and Fred Pitz's hardware properties.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Scott of Milwaukee spent the past week at the home of his father, W. Scott. Ed. returned home Tuesday and Mrs. will stay a couple weeks longer.

Adam Klonowski of Sigel has been engaged to make cheese instead of Will Hams.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Croghan left early Thursday morning for their home in Crystal Falls, Mich. They left home Friday morning in their auto and got to Green Bay Friday night. Saturday they went as far as just the other side of Stevens Point, where they spent the night and arrived home early Sunday morning and it rained so the roads were so bad they could not return home before Thursday.

Nick Ratelle drove to Stevens Point Thursday to get a load of lumber with which he is building a new hen house.

Mrs. Elliott returned home on Thursday afternoon from Grand Rapids where she visited for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Wael have moved onto the Peter Kronenacker, Sr. farm, which they recently purchased.

Henry Pitz loaded a carload of stock here on Tuesday which he bought of the farmers and will ship to Milwaukee.

Mrs. Mike Mason of your city is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ang. Jacoby.

It is heard from a very reliable source that Mrs. Ellen Richardson, who recently wrote several letters to our Grand Rapids papers inquiring about her old friends has gone to Spokane, Wash., to see her mother, Grandma Heuch, and she arrived there on Monday.

Nick Ratelle drove to the Rapids Monday and got a contract with Fred Bossert. He will soon begin to build a new barn for his horses.

Mrs. Ed. Warner is very poorly of late being confined to his bed a good share of the time.

Mrs. Anna Garrison of Thorpe spent the past week with her sister Mrs. Ed. Warner.

Mrs. Ed. Warner received a letter recently from Grandma Heuch, who lives in Spokane, Wash., and she wishes to be remembered to all her old time friends and would be glad to hear from them. She is very poorly and unable to write much but still she would be glad to hear from all her old friends whom she still thinks of.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Ernest Belter visited with relatives in Merrill on Sunday.

Miss Genevieve Menier visited with friends in Wausau on Sunday.

War of the Nations, illustrated lecture, tonight at Daly's Theatre.

J. C. Jacobson of Minneapolis was in the city over Sunday on business matters.

Mrs. Wm. Kerin, Jr. is visiting with relatives in Strong's Prairie and Neeshah.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wilson were called to Marquette on Friday by the death of a relative.

George Rivers of Rudolph was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Tuesday.

Do your rugs need cleaning? See L. Hattaway about it. He will do the work right.

Mrs. Albert Hanson of Berlin was a guest of the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Chambers several days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Corcoran of Webster spent several days in the city during the past week visiting with friends and relatives.

The east side bowling alleys have been sold to parties from the Granite and it is the intention to ship them to that place where they will be erected.

Mr. and Mrs. John Halstead of Sturgeon Bay have been spending the last week at the A. P. Smith home up river. They left for home on Tuesday.

Albert Konieczka of the town of Sigel was among the business callers at the Tribune office on Monday, having dropped in to make his subscription good for another year.

Augusta Glin was granted a divorce from Jacob Glin in circuit court on Wednesday afternoon, the claim being cruel and inhuman treatment. The case went by default.

The session of the Circuit court being held in this city was adjourned on Thursday and Judge Park and Court Reporter Morse returned to their homes in Stevens Point on that day.

Work on the new west side theatre has been progressing at a satisfactory rate during the past week of fine weather and the projectors expect to have it ready for opening some time about the first of the year.

Old Little, conductor on the St. Paul, was in the city on Saturday being delayed here by a breakdown to his auto while on his way home from the north, where he had spent several weeks hunting.

John Juno of Marshfield, democratic candidate for assemblyman, was in the city on Monday calling on his friends about town. John reports the prospects good for a democratic landslide in Wood county this fall.

Delos Smith of Nekeosa was up before Judge Pominville on Thursday on a charge of selling liquor to a minor. He pleaded not guilty to the charge and the case was adjourned until Thursday, Oct. 22. Bail was fixed at \$100, which was furnished.

WISCONSIN'S POLITICAL JUGGLER



NOTE—I DON'T HAVE ANY TROUBLE HOLDING ON THE FIRST PLATFORM, BUT D—! THIS WOBBLER AND WHATEVER ONE WITH ITS PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN JOINTS AND ITS BULL MOOSE NAILS IT WON'T HOLD TOGETHER. I AM JACK OF THE JOB!

T. P. Peerenboom visited with his parents in Appleton over Sunday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Gilson on Chase St. on Monday.

Miss Minnie Bublitz has accepted a position in the office of Dr. D. W. Waters.

Miss Bertha Gurtler has resigned her position in the office of Atty. D. D. Conway.

Mrs. Ole Norsby of Minor visited at the Jonas Steen home several days the past week.

Mrs. M. C. Geoghan departed on Tuesday for a visit at Stanley and Chippewa Falls.

Huntington & Lessig have received another carload of Ford Touring cars the past week.

Misses Irma Johnson and Ruth McCamley visited with friends in Stevens Point on Sunday.

Most heaters waste half their fuel Cole's Hot Blast Heaters save and use that wasted portion.

Mrs. Curtiss Dille of Fond du Lac is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fritz.

M. E. Pillar has returned from Phillips where he spent a week looking after his residence property.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Koch autored to Edgar and return on Sunday where they spent the day with relatives.

John Worlund has returned from Green Lake where he has been employed since April, at mason work.

H. F. Lawrence, one of the hustling young farmers on R. D. 2 was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday.

The Misses Olga Schrieber and Ella Leitritz visited at the Robert Leitritz home in Marshfield over Sunday.

Emil Claussen of Rochester, Minn., spent several days in the city the past week looking after some business affairs.

Mrs. Johanna Forslund of the town of Sigel was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday while in the city shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boles of Nekeosa are rejoicing over the birth of a bouncing baby boy at their home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mazur returned on Wednesday from Chicago where they have been visiting with relatives for several weeks past.

Miss Dora Bender left on Monday for Seattle and Portland where she will visit her brother, Henry Bender, for a couple of months.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Witter, Mrs. Guy Nash and T. A. Taylor were in Stevens Point Monday evening to attend a musical entertainment.

Mrs. Charlie Behrend and children returned to their home after spending two weeks visiting at the Lewis Behrend home in Kellner.

Dr. Waters, Pominville, Merrill, and Ruckle attended a meeting of the Wood County Medical Society in Marshfield on Tuesday evening.

Herman Pagel, one of the solid farmers of the town of Sigel was a pleasant caller at this office on Tuesday while in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Russel are the proud parents of an eight pound boy who arrived at their home on Oct. 19th. Mrs. Russel was formerly Miss Edna Huey.

Mrs. Chas. Olsen of Buffalo, N. Y., and Miss Marie Palzer of Appleton were guests at the home of their sister Mrs. Henry Welland several days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Corcoran of Webster arrived in the city on Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends. Mr. Corcoran returned the first of the week, but Mrs. Corcoran will remain for a week.

WILL TAKE OVER PLANT JANUARY 2

If everything goes the way the city fathers have the matter doped out, the city will take possession of the plant of the Grand Rapids Electric company on the 2nd of January 1915.

Negotiations have been in progress for some time past to secure the necessary money for the purchase of the plant, and it is expected that this will be forthcoming by the time set for the transfer.

The decision of the rate commission has been received by City Attorney Hambricht, and all the points in the matter are covered, their communication being quite a lengthy affair, it occupying about fourteen pages of type-written matter.

The value of the plant has been placed at \$72,000, as stated in last week's Tribune, and so far as known the members of the electric company will abide by the decision of the commission in fixing the value, and accept this amount without contest.

It is expected that the plant will be operated along the same lines in the future as has been the case in the past, the company to be governed by five commissioners and a manager to look after the business affairs of the company. With these conditions continuing there is no reason why the concern should not continue to give the same satisfactory service in the future that it has in the past.

Brederli-Jacobson.

Miss Esther Brederli and Mr. Edwin Jacobson are to be married this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brederli. They will be accompanied by Misses Edna Brederli and Amanda Louck, and Messrs. Ben Jacobson and Arthur Linser. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. C. A. Mellicke.

The newlyweds will leave this evening on a wedding tour for Minneapolis and St. Paul and upon their return will make their home in this city.

Both of these young people are well and favorably known in this city and the Tribune wishes with their many friends in extending the heartiest of congratulations.

Fahl-Hill.

Miss Lillian Fahl and Henry Hill were married on Wednesday afternoon at the east side Lutheran church by Rev. P. Rautz performing the ceremony. They were attended by Misses Mayme Hill, Ruth Klein and Helen Miller as bridesmaids, while Messrs. Emil and Otto Fahl and Fred Hill acted as groomsmen. Following the wedding there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hill will make their home in this city.

Bryan at Marshfield.

Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan will make a special run thru the state on a special train on Wednesday, October 22, in the interest of the Democratic state ticket. Just what time he will arrive in Marshfield has not been learned. A number from here will attend.

Can Practice in Highest Court.

Attorney B. R. Giggins of this city was on Monday admitted to practice before the supreme court of the United States. Two other attorneys were admitted at that time, they being A. W. Fairchild of Milwaukee and C. B. Bird of Wausau.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—A nice brick saloon building nicely located in the city of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin with a frame dwelling house, and a nice large barn which will accommodate about 20 head of horses. For sale or exchange, will take an improved or unimproved farm. For particulars call or write A. Silver, Grand Rapids, Wis. Phone No. 521.

MALE STENOGRAPHERS AND TYPEWRITERS WANTED.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that it has been unable to supply the demand for male stenographers and typewriters in the United States Government service, especially at Washington, D. C.

Young men who are willing to accept appointment at an entrance salary of \$450 to \$900 per annum have excellent opportunities for advancement. Advancement of capable appointees is reasonably rapid. Occasionally appointment is made at a salary of as much as \$1,200 per annum. For such salary only those who attain a rating of at least 85 per cent in the subject of stenography and who have had at least two years' practical office experience will be considered.

The Government service offers a desirable field to bright and ambitious young men.

Examinations are held monthly, except in December, in 400 of the principal cities of the United States and applications may be filed with the Commission at Washington, D. C., at any time.

For full information in regard to the scope and character of the examination and for application forms address the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or the Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners at any of the following named cities: Boston, Mass., New York, N. Y., Philadelphia, Pa., Atlanta, Ga., Cincinnati, Ohio, Chicago, Ill., St. Paul, Minn., St. Louis, Mo., New Orleans, La., Seattle, Wash., San Francisco, Cal., Honolulu, Hawaii, and San Juan, Porto Rico.

JOHN A. McElhenry, President, U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

DWELLING HOUSE BURNED.

Home and Furniture of Albert Swift Destroyed Friday Evening.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Swift, located near the eastern limits of the city on Baker street, was totally destroyed by fire on Friday evening, together with the household furniture belonging to the family, only one chair being saved from the ruin. The loss is estimated at about \$2,000, with an insurance of only about a thousand dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Swift were at the home of Mrs. Swift's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Greene, who reside near, and the first they knew of the fire was when they heard some unusual noise, and people yelling fire. Upon looking out they found their house was in flames, and before they could gain so much headway that it was impossible to do anything toward quenching the flames or removing the furniture from the residence.

The fire department responded to the call for help, but as the building was located far beyond the water system it was impossible to reach it with a line of hose, and the only thing that could be done was to stand about and watch things burn.

The origin of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to have been caused by the explosion of a lamp, as one was left burning on the table when the family left, and there were no stoves in the house.

They figure their loss on the building at \$1,500 and on the furniture at \$500 with an insurance of only a thousand dollars. They expect to rebuild in the spring.

Miss Calla Nason, manager of the Centralia Pulp and Paper Co. departed on Tuesday evening for Seattle, Washington, and other points in the west where she will spend several weeks visiting relatives.

Victor Borwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Borwick, has joined the Musical Comedy Company, "A Million Dollar Doll." Victor is acting as electrician and takes a minor part in the cast. The company played at Stevens Point and Merrill the past week and the papers of those cities say the company is a good one.

RUDOLPH FARMER CAUSES EXCITEMENT

Quite a bit of stir was caused in the town of Rudolph on Sunday and Monday by the mysterious disappearance of George Scott, who dropped out of sight Saturday night, and remained hid until Monday afternoon, when he showed up at his home, apparently little the worse for his experience.

It appears that Scott returned to his home Saturday evening, and after putting up his team, did not come into the house, and a brother-in-law who makes his home there went out to see what was the matter. However, he could find nothing of Scott, and after searching for some time he notified the neighbors of the man's disappearance, and a hunt was started for the missing man. This was continued all night, but nothing could be found of the man.

The authorities in this city had been notified of the man's disappearance, and several from here took a hand in the search, there being District Attorney Briere, Sheriff Cowell and others. However, no trace of him could be found until about 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, when some of the searchers returned to the place where he was found. There he gave no lucid account of his whereabouts, merely saying that he had been in the woods. It is the opinion of those who saw the man since his return that he is in a slightly demented condition and that he probably had a lapse of memory for a couple of days.

Scott came to Rudolph last fall and purchased the farm belonging to Mrs. Frank Whitman, which is one of the good farms up in that neighborhood. Sometime later Scott hired a painter to paint some of the buildings on the farm, and when the painter left, Scott's wife disappeared, it is supposed that she ran away with the painter.

The family had three children, the oldest of which was about ten years of age, and Scott took them to live with some of his people in the southern part of the state. Since his return his brother-in-law has been living with him, and Scott has been to a considerable extent in control of the farm, and it is thought that this has accounted for his behavior, and that he is not accountable for his actions.

Trouble in Port Edwards.

John Puchla, Thos. Pazik and Frank Bulembak of Port Edwards were brought to this city on Monday and had a hearing before Judge Pominville, being charged with a assault with intent to do great bodily harm. The complaining witnesses were Mike Popowicz and Alex Graczkowski. The men pleaded not guilty to the charge against them and they were remanded to jail to await a hearing on Monday next.

The two complaining witnesses showed signs of having been treated roughly, and Oye stated that a knife had been used on them. The charge was undoubtedly the result of a fight over a bottle of the beverage that made Milwaukee famous.

The three men who were beat up subsequently changed their charge to assault and battery, to which the assailants pleaded guilty, and paying a fine and costs amounting to \$11.50, were discharged from custody.

Handies-Fairbanks.

Miss Vera Handies of Marshfield and Wallace Fairbanks of this city were married on Thursday at Alton Center, at the home of the bride's grandmother. The groom is well known in this city, where he has been engaged in the insurance business for a number of years past, and has many friends here who wish him a happy journey thru life. Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks will make their home in this city.

Dr. S. N. Reep, who has just returned from Europe will lecture to night at Daly's Theatre on the real cause of the present European war using views showing mobilization of troops, devastation of countries, and the use of gas, etc. Lecture commences at 8 o'clock sharp. Admission 25c.

About enough money has been raised by the committee in charge for the erection of the barns near the east side market square that it is proposed to build this fall. These supplies will be erected for the accommodation of farmers and others who wish to put up their teams while in the city shopping, and the money is being donated by the east side merchants.

Work on the new addition to the Witter Hotel has been carried along at a good rate since the weather settled down. All of the foundation is in and a part of the upper structure has been commenced. The new portion will be used as a dining room for the hotel and when completed will give a fine view of the river, and will be a great improvement, besides adding a number of rooms to the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thorne, who have been making their home in the town of Saratoga for some time past, where they have been engaged in farming, have traded their property there for a place in Oshkosh, and left that city on Tuesday to make their home. August Grimm comes into possession of the Thorne property by the trade, and he takes charge of the place at once. Mr. and Mrs. Thorne were in the city on Tuesday on their way to their new home.

It seems that the work that has been done on the west side school that is being built at Cloverland, Ad. has been condemned, and that the work will have to be turned out and done over again. This consists of the walls for the basement, the concrete work in same not having been up to specifications. If this work is taken out and put in again it is doubtful if the building can be ready for occupancy at the beginning of the year as was the intention when the contract was let. The work is being done by the Weinberg Construction Co.

MERRILL WINS FROM LOCALS.

Football Games Goes to Boys from Town That Should Be Easy.

Those of our football fans who had an idea that the Merrill team would prove easy meat for our boys were undeceived on Saturday when the two teams met on the local gridiron. The two teams were very evenly matched in every way and it was rather more by chance than by any superior play, that the Merrill team won the game, the result being a touchdown.

Again in the latter part of the game the ball was not close to the Grand Rapids goal by a point and a penalty, and the Merrill boys managed to kick it over the bar.

The locals seem to need some practice in order to perfect them in the game. Their tackling is decidedly faulty, while there seems to be a disposition on the part of the most of the team to let two or three men all at the work, while the rest of them are standing around watching the proceedings. This may be caused by inexperience, and they will undoubtedly improve in form with practice as several of the men are comparatively new at the game. Some very nice plays were made by the locals, and they did not count anything, they might have spoiled victory had they been pulled off at the proper time.

Dustin-Threll.

On Oct. 18th a very pretty wedding was celebrated at the S. D. A. church when Mr. Wm. E. Dustin and Mrs. Elizabeth A. Threll were made man and wife. Rev. Thurston officiated. Mrs. Robert Patchford was maid of honor. Mr. Robert Patchford acted as best man and Miss Mabel Hiss played the wedding march. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and autumn leaves. The bride wore a white silk gown with an over dress, dotted silk train. She wore a carriage bouquet of ferns and white carnations. The groom wore a suit of dark navy blue. A reception was tendered the guests at the home of the bride. The rooms were very prettily decorated with flowers and leaves. The party was Mr. and Mrs. A. C. T. of Tannah north of the bridge. Mrs. E. H. Johnson and son, Edw. of Reedburg, Mr. E. A. Tupper of Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lynch and son, Glenn, Mice, Leona and Garnet Tupper, Elsie and Virgie Threll, Cora Leung, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patchford and son, Edward, R. E. Vanderhoof, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Baldwin, Mrs. H. E. Nason and daughter Maurine.

Rudolph Farms Sold.

During the past week two of the best farms in the town of Rudolph have changed hands. Peter Kronenacker has sold his 119 acre farm known as the old Pat Conway farm to Arnold Van Lijnd of De Pere, consideration \$10,200. Mr. Kronenacker has since relinquished the old Milwaukee slattery land on the east side and will move here to reside at once.

August Jacoby also sold his 80 acre farm near Rudolph Station to Mr. Conner of De Pere for \$9,200. Mr. Jacoby will move to this city to reside as soon as he can purchase a suitable home.

Ship Christmas Gifts Free.

Those of our local friends, P. E. Kohler, the Chicago & Northwestern and who are carrying a large order that the company will transport free of charge all food, and articles intended for the "Christmas Ship" which will sail from Brooklyn on the 10th of November.

Shipments should be marked plainly "For the Christmas Ship" and enclosed to James K. Kieley, Pugh for animals, Waukegan, Ill., Chicago, Ill.

Alpine Plan to Return.

John Alpine, former superintendent of the Grand Rapids mill, has again accepted his former position with the company after an absence of several years, during which time Mr. Alpine had held similar positions in Ladyville and Chubbeyan, Mich. The family will spend the winter in Ladyville where they have a home, but will join Mr. Alpine here in the spring.

Will Hold Rally at Bebeek.

The members of the Democratic County Ticket will hold a big rally and speech at Bebeek on Friday evening in the town hall at 7:30. At times Hugh Grogan will be the principal speaker of the evening, although there will be talks by others.

The Road Construction Co. has been awarded the contract for excavating approximately 20,000 cubic yards of material in the Portage County Drainage District, near Cedar Junction. The company's dredge is now being unloaded at Bancroft and it is expected that actual operations will commence in about ten days.

State Superintendent C. P. Cary has appointed Mr. Florence Billig, a graduate of the class of 1912, to the position of county superintendent of schools for Adams county to succeed Mr. Maybelle Dunlap, who resigned to become Mrs. Arthur H. Hart of Grand Rapids. In experience and scholarship Mrs. Billig is admirable for the position of county superintendent at Stevens Point Journal.

Richard Evans, an Irishman just returned from his native land, delivers his lecture of "Summer on the Old Sod," at the M. E. church, Wed. evening, Oct. 23. Rev. Evans is pastor at Wausau and was formerly pastor of the M. E. church here a term of years. "A Sprig of Shamrock" is the title of his lecture. The speaker is a native of Ireland, and his lecture will be a plan and commendation of all present. You will surely miss something good, if you do not hear him.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1914.

THE ISSUE.

The issue is so plain in this campaign that it can be stated in two words—High Taxes.

There is no dispute about the fact of the taxes being high. There are some bold politicians in Wisconsin but we have yet to hear of one bold enough to declare that the taxes are not high.

Now, it being undisputed that the taxes are high the question follows: Who made them high? The answer is, the Republicans. They cannot deny their responsibility, for they have been in full control of the state government ever since the Democrats vacated in January 1915.

In their platform this year the Republicans commend their administration, thus placing the stamp of their approval on the high taxes.

The Democrats denounce the high taxes, just as they denounced them two years ago, and promise economy with efficiency if they are elected.

So the issue is very plain.

If the voters want a continuance of high taxes they will support Mr. Philipp. If they want their taxes lowered they will support Judge Karel.

Your tax receipt is the best argument why you should vote the democratic ticket next month.

In the past few years taxes have increased wonderfully, and with a continuance of a republican administration in power the taxes will be still further increased. The state capitol swarms with over-paid employees. Every commission has power to increase the salary list and add to the number of non-working but salary drawing class. The republican administration has fixed the laws so that its appointive officers are not limited, and each department head is given full power to fix the number of its assistants. Take the income tax department. Every tax assessor of his assistants. Take the income tax department. Every tax assessor of his assistants. Take the income tax department. Every tax assessor of his assistants.

So it is with every one of the state commissions, and with this system in vogue, how can your taxes be reduced? If you elect a democratic state advocate, how can your taxes be reduced? If you elect a democratic state advocate, how can your taxes be reduced? If you elect a democratic state advocate, how can your taxes be reduced?

He will give you the salaries fixed by law and reduce the list of assistants. He will give you the salaries fixed by law and reduce the list of assistants. He will give you the salaries fixed by law and reduce the list of assistants. He will give you the salaries fixed by law and reduce the list of assistants.

For this reason alone you should vote the straight democratic ticket in November.—Pond du Lac Reporter.

BADOUR SEES HARMONY.

"Harmony in the Democratic party in Wisconsin, like harmony in the party throughout the United States, is a fact and not fiction this year," said Philip A. Badour, editor of the Oconto County Enterprise, who was in Milwaukee attending the meeting of the Wisconsin Democratic State Press Association.

"Democrats in all parts of the state have accepted the result of the primary in a most loyal spirit and are now working together to secure the election of Judge Karel, Senator Hustling and the other nominees on our ticket. They recognized that the supreme issue in this campaign is the over-taxation inflicted upon the people by an extravagant Republican State administration."

"They find their work to obtain support for the Democratic ticket is not difficult, because the people have become thoroughly posted in the question of taxation. Their tax bills, which show a steadily increasing figure year after year, form eloquent indictments of Republican misadministration. The people willingly turn to the Democratic candidates, standing as they do upon a platform pledged to a reduction of taxes and the abolition of useless boards and commissions. They have been unable to find in the Republican platform upon which Mr. Philipp is a candidate a single word denouncing the unnecessary tax burden placed upon them by Gov. McGovern and the other state officers."

"Democratic meetings throughout the state are being well attended and all indications point to a magnificent victory on Nov. 3."

NO HOPE IN WRANGLERS.

Before Mr. Philipp was "hornswoggled" as his Charley Pfister said, by the McGovernites in his platform at Madison, he went about the state in his magnificent Lozier motor car telling the people that the taxes were too high and that if he was given an opportunity to sit in the governor's chair, he would reduce them. Even after being bound hand and foot by the high tax platform adopted at Madison in September, he insisted that he was still bent upon tax reduction.

Now, in that convention, Mr. Philipp at times was supported by only four votes, showing that the preponderance of the men who made up the convention and who are candidates for office on the Republican ticket were opposed to him.

Suppose Mr. Philipp should be elected governor, what could he accomplish in the way of tax reduction with a Bob La Follette senate and a Frank McGovern assembly? The La Follette were the original tax boosters and the McGovernites when they got in went them several hundred per cent better. The state platform commands the man who raised the taxes 400 per cent during a period in which the population increased but a trifle over 10 per cent, to use Mr. Philipp's own words.

Look at the record of the last legislature. La Follette controlled the senate and McGovern the assembly and for weeks after the opening of the legislature there was a disgraceful row over the attempt of Gov. McGovern to oust Insurance Commissioner Ekern. Mr. Ekern barricaded himself in his office and some of the expensive plate-glass in the luxurious state capitol was demolished when Mr. Ekern, superintendent of public property, carried out McGovern's order to dispossess Mr. Ekern.

The effects of this row were felt all through the long session that was so expensive to the taxpayers and which authorized expenditures of approximately \$25,000,000 for the biennial period.

If Mr. Philipp and the men who are running with him should be elected the people would witness wrangling in the legislative session of 1915 than they saw in the last session. It is useless to expect any united work for tax reduction from factional politicians who have been engaged in one long wrangle since the LaFollette and McGovern battle broke out. The only hope for relief for the over-burdened taxpayers lies in the election of the Democratic state ticket, headed by Judge John C. Karel.

AN APPEAL TO DEMOCRATS.

A political campaign is on in which every taxpayer of Wisconsin is vitally interested. The democratic party of Wisconsin is fighting a fight for the people and gives its pledge that if the Democrats are voted into power in November they will stop waste and extravagance in government and reduce the heavy burden of taxes which have been growing by leaps and bounds during the past fifteen years of republican administration.

To effectively organize to win we are in need of money to pay legitimate campaign expenses. We appeal to every man, irrespective of his political affiliations who believes and desires economy in government, and who is financially able, to contribute at least \$1 to help win this fight of the common people.

Please send your contribution to Joseph Martin, chairman democratic state central committee, 119 Plankinton house, who will send you a receipt and later you will receive another receipt from Andrew Jensen, treasurer of the democratic state central committee. We oppose special privilege and can get no financial assistance from them. We have no corporate friends and will get no help from them. We are fighting the fight of the people and we must appeal to the people for their time, their ability and their financial assistance.

Judge Karel began the fight to reduce the taxes two years ago. Today every man on the democratic state ticket is pledged to economy in government. The democratic party is united and working together as never before and with your help are going to win.

Judge Karel and his associates will give to this state the same business-like administration that President Wilson and the democratic congress has given to the nation.

Senator Paul Hustling will be a worthy representative of our great state in the United States senate where he will help further the influence and policies of President Wilson.

Give us your aid in this important battle for economy by mailing a dollar at once. Respectfully,

JOSEPH MARTIN,
Chairman Democratic State Central Committee.

The Town Pump.

A good place to feel the pulse of civic life is at the public drinking trough. The ebb and flow of animal life, as it quenches its thirst at the public fountain, gives us an estimate of the community; the character, habits and occupations of its people and the utility, pleasure and hardships of its citizens. There is no better place to study the progress of the community than at the town pump.

Every village in Wisconsin should have a town pump and every city with waterworks should have a drinking fountain where a stream of pure running water, freely dispenses Adam's Ale to the thirsty populace. Pure water and plenty of it is a good community builder.

—We are ready to do any kind of grinding for farmers. Wheat and barley wanted at McKorcher-Rossier Co.



The above is a good picture of Mr. A. C. Schmidt of Wausau, the Democratic candidate for congress. What is true of the state legislature, is more true of the national house of representatives, that we need more business men and far less lawyers. Mr. Schmidt is the only business man canidate for congress in this state, on either ticket. That is a queer state of affairs, but nevertheless true. Let this district have the distinction of sending a business man to Congress, one who will attend to business and attend every session and remain there while congress is in session. Not like some others, be at home half of the time. Mr. Browne, the present congressman, has been in congress two years. What has he done? Well, draw his pay, we are quite sure, but do not know of much more. It is said that he has been home in Wausau weeks at a time attending to his law practice. This is what we have been told. He has certainly not made much of a stir in Washington. Mr. Schmidt is pledged to development of agriculture and the natural resources of Wisconsin—economy and lower taxes in national administration. To attend every session of Congress and remain there while Congress is in session. Opposed to jingoism or anything that will hamper the development of the State or Nation.

That is good enough pledge for any one, and we believe that he will stand by every word of it. The people in general seem to be well satisfied with President Wilson's administration. They believe that he is doing his best to maintain peace in the nation, and has thus far succeeded. He is by far the best president the Nation has had for years. He should have a Democratic congress and they hinder him in all the legislature he wants, he cannot accomplish anything. For that reason, you should vote for Mr. Schmidt. He will stand back of the President in his administration. If for no other reason, that is one of the best that can be secured, and we believe that Mr. Schmidt will get thousands of votes in this district, just for that reason alone. The people have confidence in President Wilson. Show this appreciation by voting for the Democratic congressman from this district.

WISCONSIN FARMERS CAN PREVENT A BIG LOSS.

"Heavy losses from the destructive white grub will occur in large areas of Wisconsin in the summer of 1915, unless our farmers use every means to prevent it," is the warning issued by Prof. J. C. Sanders, Entomologist of the Agricultural Experiment Station at Madison.

The losses in 1915 promise to be as great or greater than in 1912 when 30 per cent of the corn crop was ruined. This trouble will occur every third year until more efficient controls are found.

Professor Sanders and other entomologists are trying to work out better control methods, but for the present the following recommendations are made to farmers for checking the white grub, wherever the June beetles (the adult stage of the grub) were plentiful this summer.

1. Fall plow and drag immediately all fields where corn will be planted next year.

2. Plant corn again on 1914 corn land.

3. It will be comparatively safe to plant corn in a field with a pure stand of clover in 1914.

4. Do not plant corn on sod land plowed up next spring.

Special insect control problems of all kinds will receive attention free of cost if communicated to the Entomologist, Agricultural Experiment Station, Madison, Wis.

—Lillia Balm.

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BEER TO PAY HALF THE WAR TAX

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 19.—The war revenue tax of approximately \$50,000,000 on the annual output of beer is agreeable to the brewers of this city, although this industry already pays a yearly internal revenue tax of \$165,000,000. The stamp tax on negotiable instruments, stocks and bonds, deeds, bills of lading, pullman car and steamship tickets and insurance policies is expected to yield \$30,000,000 and the remainder will be raised by a levy on tobacco, patent medicines, perfumes, cosmetics, theatre and amusement tickets and etc. The beer tax will yield a revenue more than ten times greater than that of any other single commodity.

FOR SALE:—Two houses. Inquire of Jos. Rick.

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31 Years in Wood County

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Democratic Candidate for

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FOR SALE:—Pure bred Holstein bulls from one to ten months of age sired by a grandson of Colantha 4th's Johanna the most famous dairy cow of the world. C. H. IMIO, Junction City. Farm one mile north of Rudolph Station.

FOR SALE:—Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, 5 months old, \$1.00 each. Nels Jepson, Rudolph, Wis. Phone 144.



MICHAEL GRIFFIN

Democratic Candidate for Sheriff of Wood County.

Election November Third.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor—JOHN C. KAREL, of Milwaukee.
For United States Senator—PAUL O. HUSTING, of Mayville.
For Lieutenant Governor—MOLLY HOYT, of Milwaukee.
For Secretary of State—HARRY C. TRUESDELL, of Berlin.
For State Treasurer—JOSEPH FISHER, of Marinette.
For Attorney General—C. A. KADING, of Watertown.
For Representative in Congress 8th District—A. C. SCHMIDT, of Wausau.
For Member of Assembly—JOHN JUNO, of Marshfield.

For County Clerk—WILLIAM T. NOBLES, of Grand Rapids.
For County Treasurer—GODFREY SOWATZKE, of Pithsburg.
For Register of Deeds—JOHN A. HOFFMAN, of Marshfield.
For Clerk of Circuit Court—F. N. GRODE, of Nekeena.
For Sheriff—MICHAEL GRIFFIN, of Marshfield.
For District Attorney—D. D. CONWAY, of Grand Rapids.
For Surveyor—MICHAEL GRIFFIN, of Auburndale.

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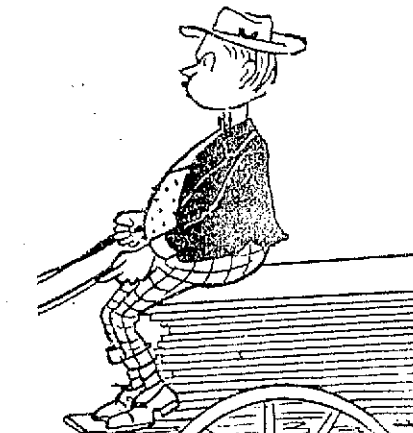


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are constantly at work recording the transactions of the First National Bank. Much of their time is spent on the accounts of men whose affairs are no larger than yours. But their credit and standing are higher than yours because they have a bank account and you have not. Why don't you put yourself on a level with them by opening an account yourself?

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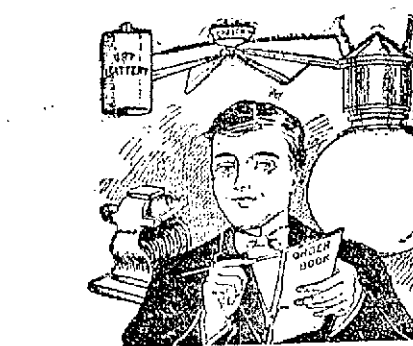
Coming Events

cast their shadows before but some events are forecast behind and the further behind the better.

There's a forecasting of cooler weather and a few weeks now will turn the trick. If you have any order for us this fall, give the boys plenty of time to get out your work and put your house in grand shape. It's a general order. Everything now in flower is here for fall and winter. Run in and see us.

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LONE OAK FARM Two miles north of Rudolph, by the school house corner on the Junction road. 10 milch cows, 4 heifers, two years old, 4 pigs and 1 good heavy mare, harnesses, new top buggy, spring cart, milk wagon, bob sleighs, new mower and other farm machinery, Sharples separator, furniture, etc.

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Election Tuesday, Nov. 3

VOTE FOR WILLIAM T. NOBLES

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY CLERK WOOD COUNTY, WIS.



Born on a farm in the town of Rudolph, resident of Wood County 27 years. Member of County Board for past 3 years. Graduate of Grand Rapids High School and of the Indiana Law School. I consider myself well qualified, and if elected will discharge the duties of the office in a satisfactory manner.

William T. Nobles, Election Tuesday, Nov. 3

VOTE FOR F. X. GRODE

of Nekoosa



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Decoding The Doctor. An old lady recently called her trusted family physician to relieve a distressing cough. The physician is conscientious man who dares not go blind. He insisted on examining her chest most thoroughly. The patient hindered the chest was thoroughly examined, she said there was no occasion to examine the other side of the chest. With gentle but uncompromising persistence, the physician discovered a cancer of the breast so large that it extended thru the chest wall. The cancer was a mechanical irritant which caused the cough by actually pressing upon the lung. It was then too far advanced to offer any hope of cure. Of course the patient knew of this. In attempting to keep her physician from learning of it she was attempting to escape a truth by the primitive device of closing her eyes. Decoding Himself.

Nearly a year ago a physician was consulted by a patient about a small growth in her breast which was gradually growing larger. He advised immediate removal. He was very suspicious of an early cancer. She suspected of an early cancer. She and her husband tried to dodge an unpleasant truth. They went from one doctor to another. Fortunately, it so happened that none was so dishonest or stupid as to give what they were so anxious to pay for, viz, assurance that they might ignore the growth. Very recently they were given their courage to have the operation done. It wasn't so hard for them as they dreaded. But it was much harder for the surgeon. It is to be hoped that all of the cancerous tissue was removed. The chances, however, are not as favorable as they would have been a year ago.

Military Clock Work. At the end of the first week of mobilization the German chief of staff, Gen. von Moltke, announced to the country that not a single inquiry for further instructions, or a general staff had been received. On the seventh day, 4,000 head-quarters were being transformed into one in arms, and not in the slightest detail had it appeared that anything had gone wrong.

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At the end of the ninety-ninth week the record was the same. At the end of the hundredth week the record was the same.

With all respect for Russian and French achievements along the same line, the palm must be awarded to the German thoroughness. For it made possible that triumphant march through Belgium and France which never stopped until it was 17 miles from Paris.

How Americans can appreciate the extent of the advance planning involved for this mobilization, or to the labor expended to keep it up to date. The French went to war in this historic role transformed uniforms the German appeared in their gray khaki the existence of which was hardly known abroad. Each soldier had new shoes, new underclothing, received his written instructions what train to take and what seat to occupy. Food for the journey was given to him, and when his train reached certain stations hot drinks were served to him. He had no thinking to do, only to read his orders.—New York Evening Post.

Subscribe for the Tribune.

Peace Arguments.

"In Vienna there are 20,000 wounded." "Five thousand wounded passed through Orleans daily for five days." "I have counted 30 trains choked with wounded in just a few of the returns from behind the firing lines.

There's not a city or village, there's scarcely a farmhouse left standing in the embattled countries on which war has not already laid its bloody fingerprints—and the returns are just beginning to come.

It is easy for the czar to say that he will take Berlin if it costs him his last peasant; for the Kaiser to tell his people that they must "fight so long as a man remains alive."

But what of those who have to bleed and suffer; who have to die? The rulers say that the war must go on till the enemy is beaten to his knees. But, after all, it is the people who have the last say.

When they get their fill of misery and sacrifice it will not be so hard to make a peace.—Cleveland Press.

FOR SALE:—Automobile, Warren Detroit Roadster, thirty-five horse power, new tires, newly painted and in first-class condition throughout. Will take you anywhere as fast as you wish to go. Make best offer. H. G. Zimmerman, Grand Rapids, Wis.

Oct. 17. Order Limiting Time to Present Claims and Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Walsh, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of James Walsh, late of the city of Grand Rapids, in said County of Wood, Grand Rapids, in said County of Wood, deceased, having been duly granted to Mattie M. Walsh by this court.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time from the date hereof until and including the 30th day of April, A. D. 1915, in and to which all creditors of the said James Walsh, deceased, shall present their claims for examination and allowance.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That all claims and demands of all persons against the said James Walsh, deceased, be examined and adjusted by the said Court at the Court Room in the City of Grand Rapids, in said County of Wood, at the regular term thereof appointed to be held on the first Tuesday of May, 1915, and all creditors are hereby notified thereof.

1914.

COUNTY ASSESSMENT OVER 33 MILLIONS

The assessed value of all property in Wood County is reported to be \$33,078,129. The total value of all property in the state is \$2,728,989,154, according to the state assessment announced by the State Tax Commission. This is an increase of \$174,801,449 over the assessment of last year. The total value of all real estate in the state is \$2,592,983,150, and the value of all personal property is \$135,006,004. Real estate has increased \$128,888,444, and personal property has increased \$45,913,005 over last year's assessment.

The assessment announced is for the purpose of ascertaining the true value of all property in the state, on which the State Common school, the mill tax and the University and Normal school are based. It is an equalized value of property in the various counties and is also used as the basis for the determination of the rate of taxation to be fixed for railroads and other public utilities when the amount of taxes to be raised by the counties and localities is apportioned.

ILLITERACY AMONG WISCONSIN RURAL POPULATION

Washington, D. C., Oct. 19.—The need of more and better rural schools in Wisconsin is made manifest by conditions revealed in a recent report showing the percentage of illiterates among the white farm population of this State. The figures show that the percentage of illiterates in the rural districts of Wisconsin is three times that of the cities and villages of the State. Wisconsin has 11,468 illiterates and 33,490 of them live on the farms. There are 16,381 boys and men and 16,499 girls and women on the farms of this State that can neither read nor write.

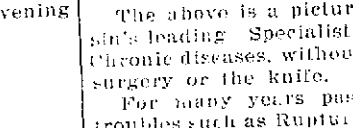
Bee Business Bad.

Wisconsin bee-keepers have just completed gathering the 1914 honey crop. According to the United States Crop Estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture, the yield per colony of bees was 45 pounds. In 1913 the production per hive was 50 pounds.

The decrease is said to be due to the shortage of the wild flower crop this season. The latest census figures of this State and honey industry of this State relate to 1913. That year there were 10, 291 farms in Wisconsin that kept bees and the total number of colonies was 95,638.

Why allow your room to be a nap or cool when you can get a perfect heater for \$3.50. Sold on approval. Nash Hardware Co.

Concerning Dr. Goddard



DR. GODDARD. The above is a picture of Wisconsin's leading Specialist, who treats Chronic Diseases, without resorting to surgery or the knife.

For many years past, in certain troubles such as Rheumatic Chronic Appendicitis, Gall Stones, Gout and many troubles peculiar to Women, it was thought necessary to resort to Surgery.

But in the past few years such brilliant men in the profession as Dr. Mitchell of Paris, the leading physician of the world, Dr. McEwen, Professor of Medicine at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, Sir Henry Burdette of England, and Dr. Page of Boston, Mass., not to mention many others of great prominence, have become firmly convinced and have proven that many of these cases can be more successfully, better and more safely cured by modern treatment than by the knife.

And it is along these same advanced lines that Dr. Goddard has had his remarkable success in treating Chronic Diseases without operation. The Doctor comes to Grand Rapids once every four weeks and freely grants consultation to all who may call on him at the Dixon Hotel.

He comes to us of our people as his patients, whom he has cured after they had tried many other physicians without relief. In talking with the writer recently the Doctor said: "The tendency among the medical profession in the past has been to put the knife into everybody on the slightest pretext, but with the great advancements that have been made in the Science of Medicine in the last few years, the great number of errors of their ways with the result, that they are not resorting to surgical operations in one quarter the cases that they formerly did. I can truthfully say, and can prove it, that 80 per cent. of the so-called cases of Chronic Appendicitis that have submitted to operation in the past could have been cured much better by our modern methods of treatment, thus saving the patient all the suffering and danger, not to mention the expense that accompanies surgical operations. I have proven the truth of this statement right here in your community and should like to show you scores of letters, from grateful patients whom I cured to prove it to you also."

The Doctor has lately written a little book that is intensely interesting, entitled, "Modern Methods of Treating Chronic Diseases Without Surgical Operation," which he will gladly send to anyone absolutely free of charge on request.

Anyone suffering from any Chronic conditions, especially if it has failed to respond to the ordinary treatment, should certainly avail themselves of the opportunity to consult Dr. Goddard on his next visit to Grand Rapids, Tuesday, Oct. 27th, at the Dixon Hotel, or write to him at his permanent address, 121 Wisconsin St., Milwaukee, Wis. Send for his little book anyway. It will greatly interest you.

Dr. Goddard will be at the Blodgett Hotel, Marshfield, Wednesday, Oct. 28, 9 a. m. to 7:30 p. m.

By the Court: W. J. CONWAY, County Judge. Grogins & Brazeau Attorneys.

SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Lincoln Building, Grand Rapids, Wis. October 12, 1914. Regular meeting of the Board of Education called to order at 7:35 p. m. by President L. P. Witter.

The following commissioners were present: Reeves, Ragan, Searls, Kellogg, Witter; Babcock, Bein, Sherman, Johnson, Horton, Natwick, Mrs. E. P. Arpin, Mrs. Sam Church, and Mrs. E. L. Brown, (14); absent, Commissioners Hatch and Mellicke, (2).

The minutes of the regular meeting held on September 14, 1914, were read and approved.

Motion made and carried that the regular order of business be suspended and that the petition to beautify the school grounds be heard. Mesdames DeGuere and Loewe presented the petition. The petition was withdrawn after discussion to be presented at some other time.

Motion made and carried that the following bills be allowed and orders drawn: Kellogg Bros. Lumber Co., lumber, \$200.00; E. H. Stafford Mfg. Co., seats, 141.60; and desks, 112.25.

J. A. Staub, electrical work, 3.50; Thompson, supplies, 2.60; The R. M. Rowe Co., books, 30.52; Johnson Service Co., repairs, 54.54; Johnson & Hill Co., supplies, 15.40; Grand Rapids Poultry Co., belting, 9.45; Badger Box & Lumber Co., sent strips, 7.00.

Baker Paper Co., chalk, 23.01; Hammacher, Schlumberger & Co., manual training tools, 9.50; G. B. Umbreit, repairing and tuning pianos, 5.88; The Boyer Co., ink, 8.18; Educational Pub. Co., books, 165.92; Thomas Charles Co., supplies, 5.32; Newman & Co., books, 6.00; F. H. Otto, labor, 89.95; Schaefer & Miller, Emerson School labor, 1.95; American Express Co., express, 240.00; First National Bank, insurance, 18.70; W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., chemical supplies, 20.00.

Frank Leland, labor, 600.00; American Foundry & Furnace Co., part payment on furnace contract, 1.50; S. Mronczkoski, vegetables, 105.00; J. E. Farley, Plumbing, 23.00; J. W. Natwick, shades and supplies, 41.72; Edw. A. Schmidt, linning, 16.25; Chicago Apparatus Co., physics apparatus, 21.97; Ginn & Co., books, 6.40; Houghton Mifflin Co., books, 40.34; Wm. H. Burchell, freight and drayage, 28.80; J. R. Ragan, desks, 47.62; Electric & Water Co., lights and power, 8.10; Wood County Telephone Co., rentals, 28.85; Wisconsin Valley Leader, printing, 9.72; C. W. Schwede, expenses, Superintendent's Institute, 6.50; E. C. Ketchum, ice, 72.16; J. D. Smith, hardware, 7.80; Rossmussen Cement Co., walk apparatus, ob. g22, 117.

The bill presented by the Rossmussen Cement Co. for walk laid between high school sidewalk and cement crossing for \$7.80 was presented. On motion the bill was allowed.

The following bids from the banks to act as depository, were then read: Wood County National Bank, Grand Rapids, Wis., Oct. 12, 1914. Board of Education, Grand Rapids, Wis.

Gentlemen:—This bank will be pleased to be made depository for school funds, and will pay interest thereon at the rate of two (2) per cent per annum on average daily balance, computed monthly. When there are no funds in the Treasury we will carry the orders at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, also computed monthly. Hoping to be favored with your account.

Yours respectfully, (Signed) Guy O. Babcock, Cashier.

Bank of Grand Rapids, Grand Rapids, Wis., Oct. 12, 1914. To the Board of Education of the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.

Gentlemen:—At the request of your clerk we beg to submit below our bid to act as depository of the school funds for the ensuing year:

1. We will pay two per cent interest on daily balances.

2. We will agree to carry all outstanding orders charging six percent interest for the time that we are carrying them.

Respectfully submitted, Bank of Grand Rapids, (Signed) E. B. Redford, Cashier.

First National Bank, Grand Rapids, Wis., Oct. 10, 1914. Board of Education, City.

Gentlemen:—We wish to submit our proposition to act as depository for the school funds for the ensuing year. We will agree to pay 2 per cent on daily balances figured at the end of each month and will charge 6 per cent on orders carried.

Yours very truly, (Signed) A. G. Miller, Cashier.

On motion the First National Bank was declared the depository for the

The Auto in the Field.

It is quite a common sight in Wisconsin to see farmers drive to the harvest field in automobiles. It takes a solemn sum of money to buy an automobile and it takes good roads, as well as gasoline, to run them.

A joy ride in the harvest fields of this State is one of the most exhilarating experiences that is available on this continent and one that would charm a tourist and convince a homesick.

A speedway lined with growing crops and blooded stock is a landscape that one seldom tours in his lifetime. In mapping out automobile routes the Wisconsin harvest fields should be given prominent position. Why not a "See Rural America First" campaign?

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN "FEEDER" CATTLE.

How to select steers that will make good gains and return substantial profits should be well known by the man who plans to market his crops as feed this fall or winter.

John L. Tormy of the University of Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station is urging cattle feeders to look for the following characteristics in animals which they intend to finish for the market:

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"A wide head and muzzle, which usually indicate good feeding qualities. Short legs, heavy hind quarters, and arched ribs are essential in the feeder animal."

"The skin should be reasonably thick, and covered by a heavy coat of hair. The animal should have a straight back and low set appearance, due to the depth of body and short legs."

The Horse To His Master.

I am a horse; you are a man; I've been your slave since I began. And though I'm strong enough to shake My shackles off and make a break For freedom that would lift the lid, You've noticed that I never did. By day and night I've worked for you And done the best that I could do; And though I may not always like Your methods, yet I never strike; In heat and cold, in wet and dry, I'm always ready—glad to try To do the very most I can.

To satisfy my master, if you please Consider such facts as these: Say, don't you think it ought to be Your pleasure to look out for me, If for no other reason than? My great usefulness to man? Of course, you might be worse, I know You sometimes treat your own kind so.

But I'm a Horse, and truer than The man-slave to his master, man. And, furthermore, my nature is Much more dependent than his is. And as I trust you, Sir, you should Do all you can to make it good. Nor do I ask a lot, I guess, To be a fairly fair success— Good food, good shelter, good care, I think, is just about my share. No other pay I ask—no touch I make, but this! Is that too much?

W. J. LAMPTON, in New York Times.

Subscribe for the Tribune.

A Marshfield Cow Captured the Grand Championship at the State Fair at Milwaukee this year.

She is Hager's Minerva Beets, a pure bred animal which was raised and until last spring owned by T. F. Vannedom, the well known Holstein-Friesian breeder.

The award has been made much of in the farm papers. The Wisconsin Farmer of September 24 has a good picture of Minerva, and a sketch of her rather remarkable career as a producer.

Mr. Vannedom states that Minerva was a member of his herd from birth, and that during the seven years that he raised her from infancy she was the admiration of his herd. At the 1913 Marshfield Fair he exhibited her in the Holstein class but though many visitors admired her she was not considered worth a premium by the judge employed here, and Mr. Vannedom became disgusted and sold her in the spring to R. E. Hager of Algonquin, Ill.

Mr. Hager was apparently not dismayed by the verdict of the judge at the Marshfield Fair but took Minerva to Milwaukee this year and there she won the championship in her class, the senior championship and the grand championship, which is awarded to the best cow exhibited regardless of class.

Minerva has a record as a butter producer, the official book giving her a production averaging 22.28 pounds of butter a week.

The Friends of the Farmer.

The plan of the Saint Louis banker to assist the cotton farmers of the south is a further indication of the nationwide interest which is being manifested in the problems of the men who follow the plow.

The movement is not intended as a plan for purchasing cotton, but is a designed rather to make available a fund of \$150,000,000 to loan on cotton at not to exceed six cents per pound for the purpose of making cotton a liquid asset, stabilizing its price and bringing about normal conditions again.

It has been said that it takes great calamities to develop our friends and the present crisis is proof positive that the farmer has friends in every line of industry who are willing to share his misfortunes and lighten his burdens. And as they co-operate with other men, and the spirit of friendliness on the part of the business man towards the farmer augurs well for the future of the agricultural interests of the nation.

Germany's Enemies.

Let us see. Germany and Austria are now fighting. Russia, France, England, Japan, The Pulitzer Estate, Canada, Australia, James Gordon Bennett, Serbia, Montenegro, Garibaldi, and Dr. Chas. H. Barkhurst.—The Fatherland.

The Children's Friend.

—Barker's Remedy for coughs, colds and sore throat is the best medicine for the home. For sale by Sam Church, Johnson & Hill Co. and Edw. M. Coyle.

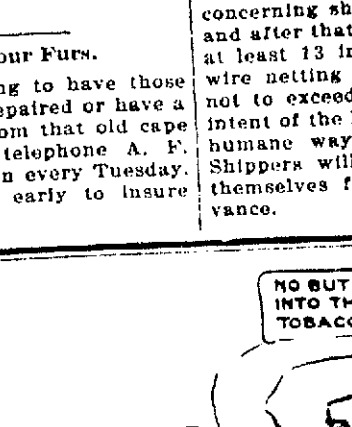
Regarding Your Furs.

—If you are going to have those furs remodeled or repaired or have a set of furs made from that old cape or jacket, see or telephone A. F. Davis at Hotel Dixon every Tuesday. Get your order in early to insure prompt delivery.

Express agents of the American

and other express companies have received official notice of the new law which becomes operative next Jan. 1st, which makes new requirements concerning shipment of chickens. On and after that date, all cocks must be at least 13 inches high and covered with netting or screen with meshes not to exceed an inch in size. The intent of the law is to provide a more humane way of shipping chickens. Shippers will do well to prepare themselves for the new law in advance.

NO BUT BECAUSE I FELL INTO THIS HERE REAL TOBACCO CHEW.



WHAT ARE YOU GRINNING FOR—BECAUSE I LOST MY HAT AND FELL INTO THE LAKE?

THE ROUSTABOUT BENEFITS BY GOOD JUDGES ACCIDENT

IT does beat all how word of "Right-Cut" the Real Tobacco Chew gets around so fast.

A man hears of it—tries it—likes it better than the old kind—and straightway is eager to get his friends started on the chew that satisfies.

Sappy, mellow tobacco—seasoned and sweetened just enough.

Take a very small chew—less than one-quarter the old size. It will be more satisfying than a mouthful of ordinary tobacco. Just nibble on it until you find the strength chew that suits you. Tuck it away. Then let it rest. See how easily and evenly the real tobacco taste comes, how it settles without grinding, how tobacco taste comes, how it settles without grinding, how tobacco taste comes. That's why it is The Real Tobacco Chew. That's why it costs less in the end.

It is a ready chew, cut fine and short and so that you won't have to grind it with your teeth. Grinding on ordinary cased tobacco makes you spit too much.

The taste of pure, rich tobacco does not need to be covered up with molasses and licorice. Notice how the soft brown out the rich tobacco taste is "Right-Cut."

One small chew takes the place of two big chews of the old kind.

WEYMAN-BRUTON COMPANY 60 Union Square, New York

BUY FROM DEALER OR SEND 10¢ STAMPS TO US

NOW IS THE TIME To Prepare For Winter

A FEW DEPENDABLE THINGS WE HAVE ARE:

Wood Heaters, Hot Air Stoves, Kraut Cutters, Weather Strips, Corn Shellers, Large Cooking Kettles, Chopping Axes, Wood Saws.

If you want a Good Hot Air Furnace come and see Our Samples.

NASH HDW. CO. GRAND RAPIDS, WIS.

When a check is received bearing the name, "Bank of Grand Rapids," it carries with it prestige and the recipient knows the maker of the check has sound banking connections.

In offering the services of this bank, we are placing at your disposal banking relations that must reflect to your advantage in all your business dealings, which is prestige.

BANK OF GRAND RAPIDS West Side

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In offering the services of this bank, we are placing at your disposal banking relations that must reflect to your advantage in all your business dealings, which is prestige.

DON'T BE HYPNOTIZED

When you read the glaring announcement of some "big man" fact user" that he will sell you good lumber for a little or nothing, that he wishes to defraud the consumer and all that sort of tommyrot "get wise; somebody takes you for a sucker. Don't be hypnotized into separating yourself from your money for something you can't see.

You know the "gold brick" game. They are still working it. And naturally, they come to the country, where the "wise ginks" says sucker is born every minute. You can do pretty well right here at home, thank you where you can see exactly what you are getting for your money.

Don't let 'em bamboozle you.

W. A. MARLING LUMBER CO. Grand Rapids, Wisconsin

Save Your Cash Sales
Slips, they are worth
Money to You.

Johnson & Hill Co.
CORNER GRAND AND THIRD AVENUES.

These items bespeak
money-savings of the
most vivid character.

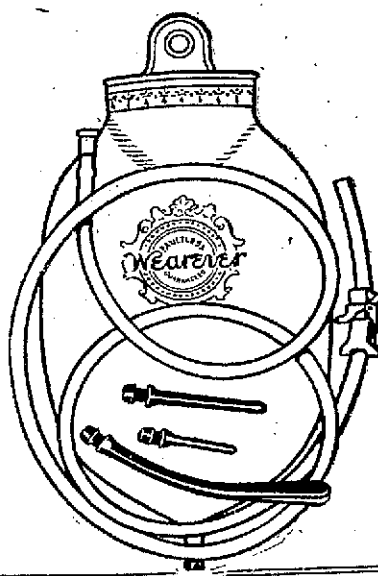
No War Prices Here!

Nor will there be! Every department in our large store is full of dependable merchandise at money-saving prices. We are still able to buy all the merchandise we can justly handle at prices no higher than we have heretofore paid. The secret of our success is our buying power.

Women's Dress Skirts, latest styles, made to your measure \$1.00

We have made arrangements with a woman's tailor to make skirts for us and we will make a wool skirt for you in any style you may select from sample skirts in our dress goods department for \$1.00 if you buy your materials from us. This gives you an opportunity to get a made-to-order skirt at a very reasonable price.

See the sample skirts and select your materials in our dress goods section.



No Advance in Price on Rubber Goods

Our stock of rubber goods is larger than we have ever carried before. We guarantee every article to be perfect in workmanship and the manufacturers will gladly replace any article found not to be as represented. This backed by our own guarantee assures you of perfect satisfaction.

- 2 quart chocolate colored hot water bottles at .89c
- 3 quart chocolate colored hot water bottles at .98c
- 2 quart rapid flow fountain syringe .89c
- 3 quart rapid flow fountain syringe .98c
- Diamond brand rubber gloves 50c values at .39c

Here are Some Dress Goods at Prices That Should Interest You.

- A line of good Dress Goods, double fold, good styles, yd. 24c
- 54 inch Repellant or ladies cloth in a good grade of colors 48c
- Broadhead Worsted Mills Dress Goods, city stores ask 54c yard, our price per yard 48c
- 36 inch all wool Panama or Serge Dress Goods, all desirable shades, the best grade, per yard 48c
- 45 in. Serge all wool and splendid value, all desirable colors, yd. 75c
- 50 and 54 in. all wool Serge, exceptional values, good line of colors, at per yard 98c

Let us show you our better grades of Dress Goods, we have the new materials at money-saving prices.

Millinery Section

Special showing of New Styles in Fall and Winter Trimmed Hats, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the remarkably low price of

\$2.95

Don't fail to see this display of stunning Millinery. Most of these models are being sold elsewhere for from \$5.00 to \$7.00.



Clothing Section Winter is Soon Coming

These cool evenings and crisp mornings make one want an overcoat or mackinaw to keep him warm.

Our overcoat line is large and complete and consists of the season's latest numbers in Chinchillas, Kerseys and Meltons in Chesterfield convertible shawl collar and Balmacaan styles at prices that are sure to please you. \$28.90, \$25.00, \$22.50, \$20.00, \$17.00 and \$14.50

Men's Mackinaws plain and plaid colors with or without belt prices range \$9.50, \$8.50, \$6.95, \$5.95, and \$4.95

Boys' Mackinaw Norfolk style, plain and plaid colors prices ranging \$5.45, \$4.95, \$4.45 and \$3.75

The War Has Not Raised Our Prices

but on the contrary has had a tendency to lower them. Below are some specials for Thursday, Friday and Saturday only.

Men's 50c dress ties, your choice .39c
Men's 50c work mittens, lined or unlined special at .39c
Boys' Mackinaws, one lot plaid color, Norfolk style with belt, special at .34c

With every Suit or Overcoat purchased in our Clothing Section, at \$7.00 or over, we will give absolutely free a genuine wire twist Clothes Brush.

Free

Children's Footwear of Quality.

It's the children, the healthy boy and girl, that requires extra good quality in their shoes. They wear—they're naturally hard on shoes—and require the best you can get for them. We have them!

BOYS' SHOES—In Gun Metal, button or lace, or extra heavy Calf Skins for out door wear. Prices from

\$3.50 down to \$1.50.

GIRLS' SHOES—In Patent, Gun Metal or Kid leathers—for school or dress wear, also high cut styles for winter out-door wear. Prices from

\$3.50 down to \$1.50

FOR THE BABIES
In Patent or Kid leathers, with cloth or leather tops, also in white, tan or red tops with patent vamp—soft soles for infants wear. Prices

\$1.75 down to 25c.

Free

In Our Grocery Dept.

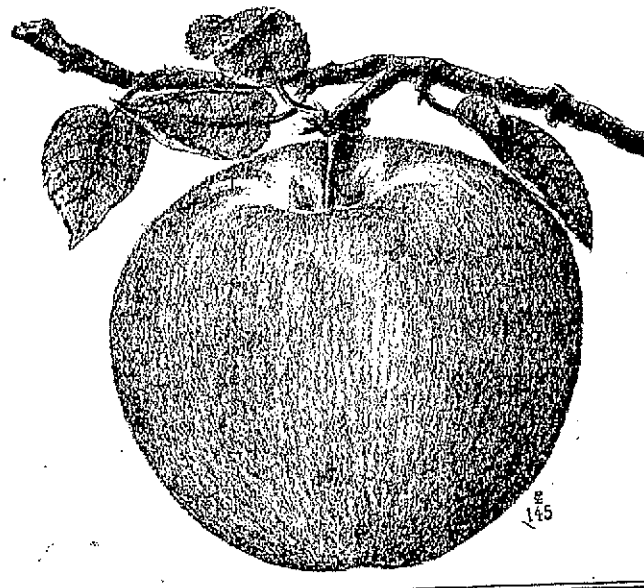
Just unloaded a car of New York
Baldwin and Greening

APPLES

We offer a No. 1 stock at

\$2.75 Per Barrel.

Big Red Apples, 45 pounds fills a bushel basket heaping full 90c



A Big Bargain in Can- ned Goods

One can each of Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, Salmon, Baked Beans and Sweet Cider, the six cans for only 49c

Brazilian Coffee worth 20c at 14c
Santos Coffee worth 25c at 19c
Calumet Baking Powder 1 lb. cans 17c

Golden Key Milk, the new cow three 10c cans 25c

Crockery Section Special for Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

- 12 piece Chamber Set, blue tint, \$3 value, our price, set 24c
- 45c Colonial Bowl 25c
- 45c heavy Water Pitcher, neat cut pattern 28c
- \$5.00 set Silver Knives and Forks, best grade, set 44c
- \$1.25 Dolls, 23 inches high, sleeps, only 24c
- 7 piece Glass Berry Sets, per set only 32c
- 50c Fancy Decorated Plates, only 32c

Holiday Goods! Our Holiday Goods are here and displays are being made as rapidly as possible for the convenience of the early-shoppers. Shop early, by so doing you will get the first selection of the finest line of Holiday Goods ever shown in Grand Rapids.

NOTICE

We redeem and pay two per cent for cash slips when your cash purchases amount to \$50.00.

JOHNSON & HILL COMPANY,
GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN

KELLNER
S. L. Van Gorder of Oshkosh who is a former farmer of this vicinity was seen on our streets Tuesday. There was no services at the German Lutheran church last Sunday, Rev. Rathke being in Stevens Point assisting with services there. Miss Ellen Hjerstedt is in your city dressmaking at the Chas. Smith home. Miss Martha Ward of Plainville spent a part of last Friday and Saturday visiting the Munroe home. Mrs. Monk Sr., who has been visiting for a couple months in Milwaukee returned home last week. Mrs. Johnson of Chicago visited her sister Mrs. Hjerstedt last week. H. Brandt visited at the home of his brother C. Brandt last week. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Munroe and daughter Lucy returned from Chicago last Thursday after a two weeks visit there. Mrs. C. Zebell's daughter-in-law and two children of Milwaukee are visiting her this week. Mrs. Chas. Jacks has returned from Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Fay returned to their home in Wautoma last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. John Dhein and family spent Sunday in Veep. Mrs. Fox of Mehan who has been staying a couple weeks at the B. L. Ward home returned home. Misses Anna and Ida Jacks of Merrill are spending their vacation with their mother Mrs. G. Jacks. The Misses Ella and Laura Gaulke spent Sunday with Anna Buss.

MEEHAN.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Matheson who have been residing in California visited here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Parks. Miss Myrtle and Mr. Clayton Slack spent Sunday with their parents at McDill. Mr. Edward Clusman and family of Valley, Wis. are visiting here this week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clusman. A large crowd of old and young people gathered at the store last Wednesday night the 14th, and marched to the Clusman home, giving Mrs. Clusman a great surprise, the occasion being her 47th birthday anniversary. The evening was greatly enjoyed by all present, and as well as the young and old taking part in the games and singing. Mrs. Meehan's noisy bell-metal band was called out last Friday night by command of Capt. Harry Slack, not for the purpose of scaring those European warriors neither to make those Mexican braves quit shooting across the lines, but for the purpose of celebrating the marriage of Mr. Lester Barden and Miss Anna Lutz which took place at Stevens Point last Wednesday, Oct. 14. Mr. Barden certainly treated them to the best going, and now they are patiently waiting for the next one. Who will it be? Mr. Harry Slack has issued invitations to his friends to attend a social gathering at his place Wednesday night. Orin Clendenning made his final trip over his territory with his brushing outfit last week picking up the remaining jobs mostly buckwheat.

PLEASANT HILL.
Alfred Alms finished his silo last week and filled same Monday. Frank Duncan returned to his home in Waukegan after several weeks' visit at O. Duckie's. Mrs. Chas. Peters returned last Monday after a week's visit with her mother and other relatives at Burnett. She reports her mother enjoying good health at present. Chas. Peters took his mare to Grand Rapids where he is having her treated for distilla at the Norton Veterinary Hospital. A Kellerman had a bee Saturday and raised his barn. Mr. Ballant put a new roof on his farm residence last week. Ed. Christensen has the wall laid for the new addition on his house and will start the carpenter work this week. I. Erickson is doing the carpenter work. Fred Fox went to Veep Sunday. Miss Bernice Van Natta spent Sunday at Arpin. The social and entertainment at District No. 6 was postponed until a later date. The Ladies Aid met at Mrs. Geo. Andrus' Tuesday. They will meet at the church the next meeting, Oct. 27. W. Buchanan and F. Zugler made a business trip to Grand Rapids last week. Peter Hansen had a run away last Friday night but no damage done that we heard of. Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie of North Arpin spent Sunday at P. H. Likes. Will Sturge left last week for a visit with his mother and relatives at Towana, Pa. He will also visit his daughter Mrs. Tilla Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Ayers in New York before coming home. Mrs. P. H. Likes left Wednesday for Merrill for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Gladys McKannus. P. H. Likes is building a wood house and wash room 26x14 and will install an engine to do the family washing.

SARATOGA.
Mrs. Cyrenus Beers of Knox, Ind., arrived Monday, Oct. 19th for an extended visit with her daughter Mrs. Lee B. Margrey. Mr. Grimm, who bought the Robt. Thorne farm, has taken possession. Violets in the woods and strawberries in the garden abound make things look like spring. Say, M. Editor, can't you find out for sure about that Japanese current so we want that which to buy winter furs and skins or summer gauze and sun shades? **SARATOGA CENTER.** The new weather we have been having is greatly appreciated by all and a whole lot more is needed. The young people of this vicinity and some of the older ones as well enjoyed a dancing party at the Brock-way home on Saturday night. Miss Marie Jensen who has been spending the summer at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Jensen, left for Chicago Saturday where she expects to spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Daly spent Sunday at Grove View the guest of grand Mrs. Mathews. Quite a few Grand Rapids sportsmen were seen on this way Sunday. Mrs. Henry Reiman called on her sister Mrs. Thomas Christal on Sunday.

Grandma Mathews was quite sick the latter part of last week but is better at this writing. **MARKET REPORT.**
Pork, dressed 11
Veal 9
Hens 10
Beef 6-6
Spring chickens 11
Hay, timothy \$10-11
Potatoes, new 8-8
Rye 49
Oats 5.00
Lard 6.50
Patent flour 23-27
Butter 24
Eggs 10-11
Hides 10-11

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GROWERS CONVENTION
The secretary of the state Potato Growers' Association has sent several letters to potato growers in the different potato counties of the state, urging that growers select potato tubers that will produce a large number of good sized tubers. The secretary has also sent a large number of growers are not selecting as high a standard of stock as is possible. If they used a little more time and care, in a large number of cases the stock has been dug green and run over potato diggers and placed in cellophane bags and sent to the market before the grower has had a chance to select the best. Potato growers in Wood County who expect to make an exhibit at the State Convention should see to it that they spend the proper amount of time on the field in the selection of fancy stock. J. C. Milward, Secretary.

The Merchants and Manufacturers Association under whose auspices the said potato convention will be held reports that merchants who wish to give a presentation to the convention should select the best quality of potatoes with the local secretary, G. D. Feltgen and that action be taken this week that the same may be published in the premium list to be mailed through the county. These special prizes will be accepted from Wood county sources only and awarded to Wood county growers. The final program and premium list has not been published but all announcements along this line must be in this week to receive mention.

Weeding Out Unprofitable Cows.
During August 234 cows belonging to Clinton Cow-Testing association were tested and out of this number 70 were not paying their way for this period. The association has reported 17 cows that have produced over 40 pounds of butterfat or 1000 pounds of milk during August. The Clinton Cow-Testing association is composed of progressive farmers. It is the aim of these men to improve their herds by culling out the cows that do not give satisfactory results. Cattle raising is also being encouraged by the association, Clinton County, Iowa.

This article was taken from Breeder's Gazette. How about the cows in Wood County? What percent of them are giving their heads off so to speak? Are you as a farmer "keeping cows" or are the cows "keeping you"? Steps are being taken to organize a cow-testing association here in Wood County. We now have about 200 cows signed up. We want 500 cows. This would make us one of the largest associations in the state. The cost will be one dollar per cow per year. Mr. H. C. Searles of the Wisconsin Dairyman's Association will be in the county the last three days of this week. If interested in a cow-testing association write the Agricultural School, Grand Rapids, and we will try and have Mr. Searles call on you. Are you going to the National Dairy Show at Chicago the week of October 22? As good a dairy county as this should be represented. W. W. CLARK.

NOTICE!
Seneca, Steel and Rudolph Mutual Insurance Co., Grand Rapids, Wis., Oct. 21th, 1914. You are hereby notified that this company has sustained several losses by fire which occurred as follows: Knute Knutson \$892.15, Andrew Jole \$746.47, Arnie Meenick \$34.74, \$12,123.50, Fred Sauer \$294.74, 6th or less amounting to \$2,254.30. The board of directors of the above company at a meeting held on the 3rd day of October, 1914, ordered a (2) two mil assessment to be made upon all property insured in this company, and liable to be paid to the Secretary within 30 days from date of this notice. A line of 25 per cent of every dollar shall be paid for all assessment money and received within said 30 days. Chas. Klevens Co., Grand Rapids, Wis., R. P. D. No. 5.

Fisher-Stolp.
Mr. and Mrs. Fisher and Carl-Stolp, both of this city, were married on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the Catholic Lutheran church. They were accompanied by Miss Frances and Anna Schmitt. After the wedding ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents, where a wedding dinner was served to a number of invited guests. Mr. and Mrs. Stolp will make their home in this city, where they have many friends to wish them a happy married life.

About Furs.
Mr. A. E. Davis of the Truettell Fur Co. of Berlin, Wis., announced that he will be at the Hotel Dixon every Tuesday until further notice to repair all fur garments that need repairing, remodeling or re-lining. If you have a jacket or an old fur cape that is badly worn and out of date, you can have an up to date and fur made of had a much better coat. Mr. Davis can refer to fifty satisfied customers in Grand Rapids. Mr. Davis will also make you prices on mink-to-order garments, see or telephone him at the Hotel Dixon, every Tuesday.

Advertised Mail.
List of advertised mail at Grand Rapids, Wis., Oct. 19, 1914.
Ladies: Mrs. Marie Brod, Mrs. Margaret Krause, Mrs. Charles Schupp.
Gentlemen: Mr. Simon Blake, Mr. John B. Clark, Mike Czupinski, Mr. Hugh De Voyle, Ger. Dickerson, M. J. Dykema, N. E. Lewis, Mr. Harvey Morgan, Mr. Franklin Smith, Mr. Mike Walker.
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Town of Carey Wins.
In the case of G. A. Deloit against the town of Carey, filed out in circuit court last week, the jury having been called, the defendant town was not guilty of negligence in the maintenance of its roads. The case was brought to recover damages for personal injuries received by the plaintiff by being thrown from his wagon.

Finest for Fighting.
John Brink was up before Judge Pommerville on Thursday charged with disorderly conduct, and was compelled to pay a fine and costs amounting to \$6.00. The man was charged with trying to start a fight with some of the men at the Adlawcann furniture factory where he had formerly been employed.

FINE FEATHERS

Novelized from Eugene Walter's Drama by the same name
by WEBSTER DENISON
ILLUSTRATED BY PHOTOGRAPHS OF SCENES
FROM THE PLAY
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SYNOPSIS.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds move into their new bungalow. Mrs. Reynolds, who is a neighbor, calls for the new couple. The new couple are met in order. Spring. Dick Meade, newspaper man, cynic, socialist, and a bit of a rascal, is the first to call. The Reynolds seem comfortable in their home, but with a hint of loneliness.

CHAPTER III—Continued.

"I know just how you feel, my dear," she said. "All my younger days were wasted on sentiment and when I finally let my heart run away with my caution, I landed on Staten Island."

"But I suppose we ought to be happy," Jane ventured resignedly. "We have our homes and I know I have the best husband in the world."

"That's what they all say. Oh, mind you, I am not complaining about mine, but there are times I am aggravated by the smallness of his income."

"But we must think of money, Mrs. Collins. After all, we are out here in the country with the fresh air and sunshine and when we think of all those people in the crowded tenements in New York, who are so much worse off than we are, I suppose we ought to be contented."

"That's all very nice, Mrs. Reynolds, but the fresh air don't chop the kindling wood or put quarters in the gas meters. Those that prefer the country can have it. For my part I would rather be in my little flat with someone around. Here it's shut up the house all winter to keep the warm air in and fight all summer to keep the mosquitoes out. Why, even the cats sneak away from Staten Island when it's cold."

"I know it. It is terrible lonely, sometimes, and nothing but the same old grind—dishes and cooking and cooking and dishes—"

"Well, that's something to bring you back to earth, anyway, and I guess I had better be getting back home to fix James' supper. Some people complain because their husbands stay away too much, but I will say for mine that he hasn't missed a meal in ten years. And I wouldn't mind if he did now and then."

"Oh, goodness!" exclaimed Jane. "What do you think I've done? I've been so excited over the matinee that I forgot about our dinner entirely and Bob will be home any minute. There isn't a thing in the house, I know. Not even eggs. I can't imagine what to say to him when I don't like to tell him that I've been to the theater."

"Gracious, you are a slave. Does he object to that?"

"No, not in the way you mean, Mrs. Collins. But there's the money for the tickets. You see, I saved it out of the household expenses and I don't want him to know."

"Well, you saved it, didn't you? Any time I can do that I spend it where and when I please. I figure that's my business and not James'."

"But we haven't much money for that sort of thing, and you see there's this, too," added Jane, hurriedly removing her new hat. "I got this out of the household money also, and I'm afraid it would be hard to explain such extensive economy."

"Well, I wouldn't worry, dear. Just put it away for a while and avoid unnecessary arguments. I know men do."

"Why, Jane, what's on your mind? Toss up. I guess I can stand it all right. Haven't got a sick headache at all?"

"That's fine. What were you doing, joking?"

"No, it wasn't a joke at all. It was just a plain lie. I went to the matinee with Mrs. Collins and forgot all about the dinner. I was afraid you might be angry. You'll forgive me, won't you, Bob?"

He stooped and kissed her. "Of course I will, dear. You know that I think more of you than a dinner any time. Was it Mrs. Collins who suggested the headache?"

"Now, don't ask questions, honey. I've confessed and you said you wouldn't be cross. But I'm awfully sorry about dinner."

"That's all right, Jane, only—"

"Only what?"

"That makes it all the easier. You know—making from a sick friend to a case of cholera. Why, even a headache would answer in your case if this is the first time."

"But I don't believe I could do that!"

"Certainly you could. Now, if you're down with a sick headache you can't be expected to be taking care of household affairs, can you? What chance has a hot dinner against a case of hysterics?"

"But I wouldn't know how," Jane persisted.

"This little play doesn't need a rehearsal. Just get into your kimono, dear."

"But it's such a terrible fib, and I just hate to see Bob go hungry. I love him, Mrs. Collins. I do, really, and I just can't bear to deceive him this way."

"That's just it. Don't let him be disappointed in you because there aren't a couple of scrambled eggs in the house, they're well, not sentimental. But if he really thinks you are ill he'll be sorry for you."

"I'll try it then, but I know that I will never go through with it. I'll laugh right in his face."

"Then don't blame me if there's a scene. I've shown you the way and it has stood the test. Hurry up and get into the costume. I'll do the explaining."

Jane went into her room. There was a ring at the door.

"There he is now," exclaimed her sophisticated neighbor. "I told you, you were wasting your time."

"No, that isn't Bob, Mrs. Collins. He has a key. Would you mind seeing who it is?"

"It's only the postman," she called. "You can see for a while."

"Is it something for me?"

"I didn't look. No, it's for your husband and from the butcher, too. I think there ought to be a law forbidding the sending of bills through the mails. They're such a disappointment."

Jane emerged clad in her kimono.

"Goodness!" exclaimed Mrs. Collins. "My dear Mrs. Reynolds, that won't do at all."

"What's the matter?"

"Your color. You'd never make him think you're an invalid with that complexion. Put some powder on."

"All right, but this is silly, my dear. I feel about as ill as I look."

"Never mind. Sh! Somebody's opening the front door with a key. Turn out the light and sit down on the bed. I'll meet him at the door."

Visiting an airy tune, Mr. Reynolds entered and was confronted by his buxom neighbor.

"Sh-h," warned Mrs. Collins. "Your wife's ill. Don't wake her."

"If? Why, what has happened?" she asked anxiously.

"Nothing's happened. Nothing serious. It's just a headache. I came over to see what I could do for her."

"She's in her room?"

"Yes, lying down."

He pushed past her to his wife's door.

"Why, Jane," he exclaimed. "I'm so sorry. What's wrong, dear?"

"Nothing very bad, Bob. I just sort of seemed to go all to pieces today, and my head is splitting."

"My poor darling!"

"I'll be going now," called Mrs. Collins. "I do hope you'll be better soon, Mrs. Reynolds. I'll run over in the morning. If there's anything I can do before then, let me know."

"I will. Thank you awfully much, Mrs. Collins."

Reynolds hurried out of the bedroom. "Let me see you to the door, Mrs. Collins. I thank you, too, I am sure. I'll pull Mrs. Reynolds around all right."

He did not repeat his wife's invitation for the evening call. Somehow Mrs. Collins did not entirely appear to him. He knew that she had been neighborly and a friend to his wife, but he was inclined at times to doubt the value of the friendship. Neighbors were none too plentiful in their colony and, such as they were, the pressing duties of the home kept most of them pretty closely confined. He knew that his wife was in need of company of some kind so he tried to keep his impressions of her quondam friend to himself. But husbands have a way of divining the truth about their wives' acquaintances and he was sure that such influence as she exerted over Mrs. Reynolds was not of the best. Her ludicrous efforts to appear fashionable without the means, her lack of taste and her obvious preference for the petty city life she had left behind stamped her, to his mind, for just what she was. He had grave fears that his wife, despite the superiority of her intellect, sooner or later, would become imbued with the poisonous discontent that emanated from her neighbor and he dreaded the day of inoculation.

CHAPTER IV.

A Conclusion.

"Bob," called Jane. "I think I'll get up."

"Oh, you mustn't, dear. Stay right where you are. Do you feel as if you could eat something? I'll bring it to you."

"But if I tell you something are you going to be cross?"

"Cross with you, honey? That's impossible. But if I've done something awfully terrible, do you think you could forgive me?"

"I don't believe you could do anything I couldn't forgive."

"Supposing I had told you a frightful, black, inexcusable fib?"

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What Did He Mean?

Pat was servant of a farmer and in his charge was a donkey which was kept to amuse his employer's children. The donkey was following the farmer's wife round the yard one day, and the farmer, turning to Pat, said: "I think that donkey is taking a liking to my wife."

"Och," said Pat, "sure and it's not the first donkey that's took a liking to her."

"Forget the system on Wednesday night, Dick. You need a rest."

"I can't, I met a friend of yours today who is part of it."

"Who?"

"Brand."

"Brand? Who is he?"

"Oh, you know him. John Brand. He's the big man in the Hudson Cement company. Said he knew you. Used to go to the same school."

"Oh, certainly. I should say I do know him. That was several years ago, though. I didn't recollect the name at first. How did my name come up?"

"Just the usual way. When you interview a member of the system he wants to talk about everything except what you want to talk about. My paper is interested in those big dams that are being built down in Pennsylvania and out West. Brand, through his firm and the subsidiary companies, has practically got a monopoly on the cement part of the deal. The paper sent me against him, but he talked about everything from the time he

first grabbed the bottle till he got his college diploma and that's how you came up. He mentioned his class at Cornell and I knew it was yours, so I thoughtlessly asked him if he knew you."

"You bet he did."

"Yes, and I'm sorry for it."

"Why, did you like him?"

"Oh, I suppose he's no worse than the others. It's hard to tell, though, that was the first time I saw a left college. Strange, we should run into him at the same time. He's coming out here tonight."

"What for?"

"Why, because he wants to, I suppose. Didn't he tell you we were schoolmates?"

"I know, but Brand isn't the kind that comes out to Staten Island to renew a social acquaintance that's been dormant for years. He's got something on his mind and you'll have something on yours if you get mixed up with him. I'd advise you to get out the little old armor of boyhood principle and virtue and encase yourself within. Take it from me, when the system smiles at you, you need protection."

"Don't worry, old pal. I guess I can take care of myself with Brand. I was always a little stronger than he at school, both in studies and out. Besides, I don't think he's coming purposely to see me. He said he had to get over this way Wednesday evening and would drop in. I think it's curiosity to see how I live as much as anything."

"For Bob! Blinded from the start. The curiosity of Mr. Brand and his like concerning my friend is limited to inquiring into the capacity of his bank roll. It's the bank account first and humanity afterwards, and a long way after. Don't flatter yourself that Brand is interested in you and your \$3,000 bungalow unless he thinks he can use you or steal the house."

"All right. Deacon. Take your seat on the tail of the cart and preach away. I know it all by heart, and might save you the trouble."

"Memory, Bob, not heart—you stand corrected. When you have it in your heart, I'll lead you to one of my silent places and let you place the bomb. I have some sweet ones picked out."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

COW GIVEN RIDE IN PATROL WAGON

Philadelphia Bovine Is Charged With Disorderly Conduct and Resisting an Officer.

SHE WOULDN'T WALK

So There Was Quite a Scene Before Several Policemen Succeeded in Hoisting the Animal into the Vehicle.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Ethel, a Jersey cow belonging to Robert Hutchinson of 8729 Leeds street, was arrested the other day by the police of the Sixty-first and Thompson streets station, charged with, first, having wantonly eaten most of the grass on Louis Jones' front lawn at Sixty-third street and Lebanon avenue; second, resisting arrest, and third, conduct unbecoming a lady.

It all began by a perfectly orderly meeting which took place between Ethel and two of her best friends, Rose, a light brindie, who furnishes milk to the family of James Kello, of 326 North Sixty-eighth street, and Mrs. Dooley, an estimable milkmaid, who is cherished by William Funston, of 1033 North Sixty-third street.

Wandering down the street together, switching their tails amiably until they came to Mr. Jones' lawn.

Jones came out when the luncheon was well advanced. Without being introduced he made remarks, and a crowd gathered. Jones rushed into the house, called the police, and a patrol wagon came on the run from the station house.

Rose and Mrs. Dooley went along meekly enough, tied to the back of the wagon, but Ethel, who had been told she'd die in her tracks before she'd walk a step behind that thing, and there was quite a scene before the patrol squad succeeded in hoisting her into the wagon. Before they reached the station house a large crowd collected around the wagon and made a boiling remarks. When they got there Ethel declined to get out.

The reserves finally were called out of the station house, and eighteen muscular policemen picked Ethel up bodily. Five hundred persons stood around and shrieked and howled.

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RUNAWAY REUNITES LONG PARTED LOVERS

Crash of Teams Results in Marriage Arranged Thirty-Five Years Ago.

Kubler, Colo.—A horse ran away out on a country road four miles from here, demolished a new spring wagon and a buggy, but reunited sweethearts of 35 years ago, and paved the way for a marriage.

Joseph Sheen is a rancher living seven miles from Kubler. He had driven to town and was on his way home, riding in his new wagon. Coming into Kubler in a carriage, Miss Amy Dodd of Eudora, Kan., was chatting with her hostess, Mrs. T. H. Greenman, with whom she had been

visiting. Sheen's horses shied at some paper in the road and bolted. Around a curve they raced madly.

At the curve was the Greenman carriage, and the rear of the wagon whirled when the horses turned the curve, crashed into the carriage, overturning it and throwing Mrs. Greenman and Miss Dodd to the ground.

A short distance further Sheen managed to stop his team. He hastened back to inquire the damage he had done. He assisted the women to their feet, helped them repair the carriage, and then introduced himself.

"Do you mean to say you are Joe Sheen, who used to live in Blue Mound, Kan., a long time ago?" Miss Dodd asked.

Sheen stared. Then: "Yes, and I know you now, Amy. I searched 20 years for you, and believed you were dead."

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A BLESSING IN DISGUISE.

Many farmers—and others too, for that matter—whenever they can't think of anybody else to damn, take a whack at the retail merchant. All the causes of the high cost of living are laid at his door, in some instances. The low price of farm products is blamed on him, and any other little ills that may spring up are entirely his fault. He is a rogue and a scoundrel. He buys butter from the farmer for thirty cents and sells it to the city fellow for three or four cents more, thus robbing the farmer and the city fellow at one fell swoop.

Yes, there's nothing to it. The middleman is a robber and a blackleg, and the only wonder is that he has been allowed to exist as long as he has. But then, of course, there may be some reason for his existence, after all.

It is a noticeable thing in this world, that the things that are needed continue to live and thrive, and the things that are not needed have a tendency to fall into decay and die off, so maybe there is some reason for the existence of the merchant.

One thing is certain, and many farmers are beginning to recognize the fact, and that is, that the biggest crop in history would be of little use to a farmer if he has no market for his product. One of the greatest talking points of a real estate man is the excellent market that exists within a short distance of the farm he is trying to sell. And what makes the market? The existence of a city where there are a lot of people to eat the product.

Why, he slowly brings in his produce and hands it over to the merchant, and the merchant sells it in small lots to the fellows about town, thus acting as a distributor for the agriculturalist.

There may be times when the profit that the merchant makes may seem exorbitant, but if the farmer had to go around to the different houses and deliver all of his produce in small quantities, he would find that most of his time would be taken up in this work, and very little of it left for farming.

The proper distribution of products is one of the greatest problems before the producer today, no matter what business he is in, and immense amounts of money are being spent in working out plans for doing the work properly. The farmer is no exception to the rule. Many a manufacturer has to pay more to market his product than it costs to produce it in the factory, and while he may not like it, the costs are paid by the ultimate consumer, and the result is that he comes in for a little kick also.

In the good old days it was the custom for farmers to come to the city and display their wares in a market place, and thus sell directly to the consumer. However, this plan has gone out of style to a large extent, except in the old-fashioned communities, where it is still practiced in a limited way. The fact of the case was that the method was too slow for the American public, and it is probable that if the farmer figured out the time he lost by that method, and the produce that he had to carry back home, and the stuff that he had often to sell at a sacrifice, owing to a glut on the market, he would find himself ahead by the present method.

There is no doubt that the retail merchant is fulfilling a mission on this earth, or he would soon cease to exist.

DON'T SELL THE FARM.

Amid the storm of war that has all but encircled the globe it is necessary for Americans to keep stout hearts and clear minds. While the war is on we are apt to be too timid, and in danger of losing sight of the real situation that must necessarily come about when the struggle is over.

Of this we are now certain, that whatever may be the fortunes of the war during the winter, the fields of neutral nations are going to be taxed to the utmost to provide food for the hungry people of Europe during the next two years. Not only is the pressure of food shortage already making itself felt, but the usual preparation for the 1915 crop has not been fully made, and as a result, not before the autumn of 1916 at the earliest can the grain bins of Europe again be relied upon for a regular supply. How much the 1914 crop may be affected thru the destruction of grain and flour in storage, or thru its utilization for army purposes, cannot now be determined. It is safe to say, however, that every bushel of wheat on the Continent will be hoarded most carefully until the war is over. If peace comes during the winter the soldiers will go back to repair as best they may the losses of the autumn, but the farmers of America will have to fill any extra depressions in the European wheat bin.

This means high prices for grain, and high grain prices are sure to be followed by a quick increase in land values. The speculator will be the first to take advantage of this situation, and will shortly begin to take options on farms in neighborhoods where sale prices now run low. Possibly it might be as well for the farmer to go a little slow about giving such options. There is not likely to be a recession from the land values established by the war. Markets once secured to American trade are likely to remain in our hands for some time to come, and to go back to their old channels slowly enough to make the change harmless to the American farmer.

There is another matter to reckon with, and that is that no matter which side wins in the struggle, many thousands of European families will be ruined, either by the war itself, or by the added burdens of taxation which inevitably will follow in its wake. These people will be the cream of the farmers of Europe—Belgian and French and German men of family and standing in their own lands. They will naturally look toward the New World, and toward the Northwest, as a place where they can repair their fortunes. They will add to the demand for land, and their almost certain coming after the war is over may well justify hesitation on the part of the farmer when he is invited to sell. It is true that this movement may not materialize. It may go elsewhere, but it will go somewhere! And why not to the Northwest? Many of these men will be without means. Why not hold the farm a little longer, and make a home for some good Belgian or German or French tenant?

In short, this is a poor time to sell the farm, and it is a good time to lift, with every ounce of brain and muscle, for the betterment of the farm life on the farm, in the neighborhood, and thruout the Northwest.—Farm, Stock and Home.

Merlin Hull in the Jackson County Journal, says:

There is a whisper going the rounds in state politics that the primary election law is to be repealed at the next session of the legislature. If it can not be repealed directly, it is said to be the plan to again submit it to a vote of the people, with the hope of accomplishing indirectly what the legislature may be afraid to do directly. The rumor is said to be in circulation in both Republican and Democratic circles, so that it seems to have something more than a partisan basis.

The primary election law went into force by an overwhelming vote of the people of Wisconsin. It is by no means a perfect law, nor does it provide a perfect nominating system, but it is so superior to the rotten caucus and convention system which it superceded that no comparison can be made.

Now, who is going to do all this repeating? It will require votes in both branches of the legislature to repeal it or to re-submit it. What prospective members of the legislature intend to vote for its repeal or its re-submission? At whose dictation do they intend to do so? What is the unseen influence which is causing the rumor to be circulated? What is back of the scheme?

Now is the time to find out all about the scheme. Candidates have no right to solicit votes except by a frank avowal of their intentions. If there is a general scheme on foot to repeal one of Wisconsin's basic reforms, let us know what it is, who is sponsor for it and who is favoring it.

If the primary law is not satisfactory, we are ready for the next step forward, but not backward. If there is a better law to be devised, some better system to provide a more full and complete expression of the people in party nominations, we are ready for it. But we are against a return to the corrupt ring system which prevailed for years, and if there are any candidates in any political party who are in sympathy with such a proposal the people want to know who they are."

FOR SALE:—A bargain in a forty acre farm in the town of Rudolph, Good barn and buildings. Want to sell everything, owing to old age. Louis Lyons, R. F. D. 2.

Auction Sale!

At the Anton Van den Heuvel place, one and one-half miles north of Golen's creamery,

Monday, Nov. 2, 1914.

Horses, Cattle, Pigs, Chickens and Farm Implements.

Terms as usual.

Myron Thomas and Anton Van den Heuvel, Owners.

FOURTEEN MILE CREEK. Potato digging is the order of the day in this vicinity.

J. R. Potts lost a horse last week. Israel Jero was a grand Rapids shopper from Sunday till Monday.

M. S. Winegarden and family, Rob'te Holmes and Lilly Jero, Richard Carlson and Edith Phelps all spent Sunday evening at the Ray Rankin home near the Ten Mile Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Carlson and daughter Edith were guests at S. Severens Sunday.

Leslie Holtz was a Sunday visitor at Will Mathews and also attended meeting in the Bell school house.

Mrs. Ray Rankin was numbered among the sick last week.

Tom Brown is helping George Douglas dig his potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Midland of Chicago are here looking after the crops on their farm.

Ray Scott of near Hancock was seen on our streets one day last week.

Martin Carlson purchased a new team of horses from Mr. O. H. Matthews at Big Falls, of late.

Floyd Wolcott was a caller at S. Severens at Nettall Sunday.

Dolly, Lilly and Willie Boyles who have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Brown for the past month returned to their home in Nekoosa one day last week.

Subscribe for the Tribune.

Oct. 21. Nov. 11.

Order Limiting Time to Present Claims and Notice to Creditors.

State of Wisconsin, Wood County, in Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Jankovitz, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Joseph Jankovitz late of the town of Sherry, in said County of Wood, deceased, having been duly granted to O. Leroux by this court;

IT IS ORDERED: That the time from the date hereof until and including the 26th day of April, A. D. 1915, and the same is hereby fixed as the time within which all creditors of the said Joseph Jankovitz deceased, shall present their claims for examination and allowance.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That all claims and demands of all persons against the said Joseph Jankovitz, deceased, be examined and adjusted before this Court, at its Court Room in the Court House in the City of Grand Rapids, in said County, at the regular term thereof appointed to be held on the fourth Tuesday of April being April 27, 1915, and all creditors are hereby notified thereof.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of the time and place said claims and demands will be examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time above limited for said creditors to present their claims and demands, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice, for four consecutive weeks, once in each week, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper published in the County of Wood, the first publication to be within fifteen days of the date hereof.

Dated this 26th day of October, 1914.

By the Court: W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

D. D. Conway, Attorney.

FOR SALE:—House and two lots, near foundry, Fifth Ave. N. St. Nagalski.

FOR SALE:—Forty acre farm for sale. Enquire at Tribune.

VOTE FOR JOHN A. HOFFMAN

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR Register of Deeds Wood County

For over twenty-nine years a resident taxpayer of Wood county. Never before a candidate for county office.

Well equipped for the duties of the office, and will administer them impartially.

Election Tuesday, Nov. 3

VOTE FOR WILLIAM T. NOBLES

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY CLERK WOOD COUNTY, WIS.

Born on a farm in the town of Saratoga. Resident of Wood county 27 years. Member of County Board for past 3 years. Graduate of Grand Rapids High School and of the Indiana Law School. I consider myself well qualified, and if elected will discharge the duties of the office in a satisfactory manner.

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CITY POINT.

D. S. Cleveland was up from Pray last week.

A surprise party was given at Mr. and Mrs. Nelson's in honor of their daughter Lola last Saturday evening before she departed for Grand Rapids on Saturday, where she will teach school.

Mr. F. N. Nelson and Mrs. H. Olson attended the funeral at Deerpark last Friday.

Jim Hall left for Illinois last Thursday.

A large society was held at Rev. Jensen's last Saturday in two weeks. The meeting is to be held at Mrs. Martin Franson's.

Rachel Vought and Gertrude Nelson Sundayed at Grand Rapids.

A surprise party gathered at A. J. Amundson's last Saturday evening.

Olga Riesinger and Grace Hancock spent Sunday with friends.

J. Johnson Sundayed in our village.

V. Grutzik had company from Stevens Point over Sunday.

W. A. Henderson, and Ben Franson are employed over near Mr. Price's.

HOW TO USE A LACE VEIL.

Many Ways to Use This Apparently Useless Article.

Many women wear lace veils in their possession and are of no use to them.

There are many ways to utilize this apparently useless article.

A pretty guimpe fashioned of a veil of black chantilly lace is effective with almost any gown. Buy a pattern the correct size and cut out the lace. Never cut through a design, but around it, so when sewed together the guimpe will appear woven on one piece.

The new spring styles in millinery display a great variety of lace covered hats. These are especially pretty and will harmonize with any gown.

To fashion one of these purchase a flat pancake shape of swan the desired color. Carefully arrange the lace veil so smoothly as possible over the entire hat.

Fasten firmly upon the inside crown and sew in a lining of soft silk.

The upper brim is void of trimming but underneath is a garland of roses.

This hat is especially pretty to wear with lingerie gowns and may be of black or white lace.

Another charming use for a discarded lace veil is to fashion a Marfan edged lace veil. This is entirely a matter of artistic draping. Fold the veil in half and pin the center to the middle of the back.

Arrange in graceful folds over the shoulders and tack down with thread, then tie together with a soft knot and allow the ends to hang in front.

The loose panel is a leading feature of the summer cloak. The lace veil may be used for this purpose.

HOW TO CARE FOR TEETH.

Castile Soap and Precipitate of Chalk Good Dentifrice.

The teeth about so much to one's appearance that one cannot be too thorough in the care of them.

They have a great deal of work to do. They aid in the digesting of the food; they are beautiful, and, like all things which have several duties to perform, they need constant attention and care.

The teeth of an individual are kept entirely free from particles of food and tartar if they are not thoroughly kept clean they will decay quickly.

After every meal any particles of food which may be lodged in the teeth should be removed with a small piece of dental floss. One should take especial care as to what tooth powders and washes one uses. Many lotions and powders contain injurious acids, which instead of preserving and cleaning the teeth ruin the enamel.

If the teeth are cleaned daily with white castile soap and precipitate of chalk they can be kept in condition. Occasionally they should be washed with an antiseptic lotion.

One should never use a brush which is too stiff, as it is hard on the enamel. The teeth should be rubbed up and down, so that the bristles can get in between the teeth, removing all particles.

Many will take the greatest care to keep the outside of the teeth in perfect condition, but neglect the back of them. This needs just as much attention and, although a little harder to reach, should be cleaned in the same way.

How to Brighten a Dark Room.

In nearly every home there is always sure to be one dark and gloomy room. It casts its depressing upon all who enter it, and yet one is often at a loss as to what should be done to dissipate the lugubrious effect.

It should be dealt with ruthlessly. White paint and enamel should be used with a generous hand. Dark woodwork should not be tolerated, and dull or gloomy paper should be avoided.

Hang the room in a paper of sunny yellow hue, put up only curtains of this net and decorate your walls with pictures framed in white and gold and silver gray frames.

Many mirrors, if possible, should be used, for they aid wonderfully in brightening a dark room, but they must not be hung too high, as they will only reflect the ceiling, while they should catch the cheerful frame of an open fire and repeat its gleam.

How to Keep Baby's Cap Clean.

Cap strings are difficult to keep dairy and clean unless you are constantly changing them. To remedy this make two rosettes of narrow ribbon and attach to a strip of ribbon long enough to reach from one side of the cap to the other, passing beneath the chin.

Clasp fasteners hold the rosettes firmly to the cap. Different colored rosettes may be made to wear with the same cap.

How to Soften Starched Buttonholes.

Always moisten with the tongue on the wrong side the buttonholes of starched collars, cuffs and shirts just before attempting to button them or put in cuff buttons. That will soften the starch slightly so that they will button easily, and the buttonholes will never tear out.

Try it once and you will always do it afterward.

How to Press Heavy Cloth.

Pressing heavy cloth should be done on a board without any soft cloth beneath. The pressing should be done on the right side of the goods, partly, having, of course, a cloth laid between to prevent marks of the iron.

How to Clean Range.

Instead of blacking the range buy a fifty cent can of aluminum paint and cover the range. It will be a thing of beauty and a joy forever, no blacking to burn off and soil light dresses and aprons.

Notice of General Election.

Office of County Clerk, Oct. 19, 1914.

To the Electors of Wood County:

Notice is hereby given that a general election is to be held in the several towns, villages and election precincts in the county of Wood, on the 2nd day of November 1914, at which the officers named below are to be chosen.

The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been verified to or filed in the office, are given under the title of the office and under the appropriate party or other designation, each in its proper column, together with the question submitted to vote, in the sample ballot below.

The following instructions are given for the information and guidance of voters:

(a) A voter upon entering the polling place and giving his name and residence, will receive a ballot from the ballot clerk which must have endorsed thereon the names or initials of both ballot clerks, and no other ballot can be used. Upon receiving his ballot, the voter must retire alone to a booth or compartment and prepare the same for voting. A ballot clerk may inform the voter as to the proper manner of marking a ballot, but he must not advise or indicate in any manner whom to vote for.

(b) If the voter wishes to vote for all the candidates nominated by any party he shall make a cross or other mark under the party designation in the circle marked at that purpose. A ballot so marked and having no other mark will be counted for all the candidates of that party in the column underneath, unless the names of some of the candidates of the party have been erased or a name shall be written in or a cross mark be placed in the square at the right of the name or names of candidates in another column. If the voter does not wish to vote for any party, he shall mark his ballot by making a cross or mark in the square at the right of the name of the candidate for whom he intends to vote, or by inserting or writing in the name of the candidate.

(c) A voter may vote upon a question submitted to the vote of the people by making a cross (X) or mark in the square at the right of the answer which he intends to give.

(d) The ballot should not be marked in any other manner. If the ballot be spoiled, it must be returned to the ballot clerk, who must issue another in its stead, but not more than three in all shall be issued to any one voter. Five minutes, time allowed in booth to mark ballot. Unofficial ballots or memoranda to assist the voter in marking his ballot can be taken into the booth, and may be used to copy from. The ballot must not be shown so that any person can see how it has been marked by the voter.

(e) After it is marked it should be folded so that the inside cannot be seen, but so that the printed instructions and signatures of the ballot clerks on the outside may be seen. Then the voter should pass out of the booth or compartment, give his name to the inspector in charge of the ballot box, hand him his ballot to be placed in the box, and pass out of the voting place.

(f) A voter who declares to the presiding officer that he is unable to read or that by reason a physical disability he is unable to mark his ballot, can have assistance of one or two election officers in marking same, to be chosen by the voter; and if he declares that he is totally blind, he may be assisted by any person chosen by him from among the legal voters of the county. The presiding officer may administer an oath in his discretion as to such person's disability.

(g) The following is a facsimile of the official ballot.

F. H. EBERHARDT, County Clerk.

NO CASTE AT OXFORD.

Duke's Son and Cook's Son Share Alike in Sports and Studies.

Actually there is no university or college in America at which distinctions of birth or wealth count for less than they do at Oxford. There was once a time when there existed a class of "gentlemen commoners"—John Ruskin, I believe, was one of them—who enjoyed special privileges and exemptions.

But that peculiarity has long since been swept away. Not only are the requirements for graduation identical for all comers, but the social life within each college of the university is open on equal terms to every one on the roll. "Duke's son" and "cook's son" share alike in sports and studies, and it is personal qualities alone that determine the position an undergraduate holds among his contemporaries.

The late F. W. Walker, for many years so successful as high master of St. Paul's school, was once interviewed by the rather snobbish mother of an intended pupil. "Of course," she said, "you are very particular about the parents of the boys you admit to your school."

"Not at all," replied F. W. Walker. "As long as your son behaves decently and attends to his work we shall not ask any questions about his parents."

The head of any college at Oxford or Cambridge might have given a similar answer.—London Cor. New York Post.

Regarding Your Furs.

If you are going to have those furs remodeled or repaired or have a set of furs made from that old cape or jacket, see or telephone A. F. Davis at Hotel Dixon every Tuesday. Get your order in early to insure prompt delivery.

The Children's Friend.

Barker's Remedy for coughs, colds and sore throat is the best medicine for the home. For sale by Sam Church, Johnson & Hill Co. and Edw. M. Coyle.

THE WAY TO GO IS WITH A TANG

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WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE:—Baby buggy, range, cradle. Inquire at 5